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Judge Flays May Defense For Calling Of Marshall

Excuses Secretary From Testifying; Says District Court Processes Abused

Justice Henry A. Schweinhaut excused Secretary of State George Marshall from obeying a summons to the May bribe-conspiracy trial yesterday.

The justice gave Defense Attorney Warren E. Magee a round scolding for summonsing the Secretary and said he was not going to stand for the abuse of the processes of the District Court.

Schweinhaut said he found out about the subpena when General Marshall called him up and said that he had been called as a witness for the defense in the trial for bribery and conspiracy, in which the defense has hinted many an Army brass hat and top-flight Democratic politician will be involved.

"Will Not Tolerate Abuse"

"I told him not to come," the justice went on, "and I want to make it plain that I will not tolerate the abuse of the process of this court. I am not going to permit these subpoenas to be sent out willy nilly. I will not have these officials made to come here and sit around, at times when they cannot possibly be put on the stand—officials who may not be permitted to testify at all.

"I am going to direct the marshal to let me know the name of every witness subpoenaed by either side. I do not say I will direct him not to serve these witnesses, but I am going to know who they are. I am determined to protect the process of this court."

The justice's precaution will not, by itself, keep him in touch with the summonses. Defense counsel have a right to get blank summonses from the clerk of court, and to fill them out at leisure. Then anybody more than 18 years old may serve them, and they are just as binding as though they were signed by the judge himself and served by the United States marshal.

As far as was shown by the records of the marshal's office yesterday, the Secretary of State was not served with his summons by court officers, but by a private citizen.

May Call Eisenhower

While Justice Schweinhaut was laying down the law to the defense counsel, reports were flying—with considerable matter in the record to back them up—that the defense will call Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, Army Chief of Staff, to the witness stand.

There was no defense comment on these reports. Magee said that as far as he was concerned, the summons for Secretary Marshall still stood.

The bench conference about the Marshall summons opened the third week of the trial of Andrew Jackson May for bribery and conspiracy. On trial with him are Henry and Murray Garsson, munition makers, and their Washington contact man, Joseph F. Freeman. All four are accused of conspiring for the sale of May's influence when he was a Congressman, for some $50,000.

With May's help, when he was chairman of the House Military committee, the Garssons ran a shoestring into 78 million dollars worth of war orders.

U. N. to Hear Jewish Agency In Committee

New York May 5 (AP).—In a compromise move, the United Nations Assembly by overwhelming majorities late today denied the privilege of its floor to the Jewish agency for Palestine but ordered its key political committee to give the agency a hearing.

The special Palestine Assembly first voted, 39 to 8, to reject a Russian-backed proposal granting the agency the right to present its case from the floor of the Assembly. Next it voted, 44 to 7, to direct its political committee to hear the agency "on the question before the committee," and to send to that committee for its decision other communications relating to Palestine. These included a letter from the Arab higher committee asking to be heard.

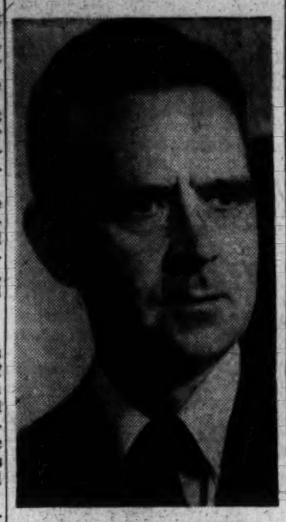
Lester B. Pearson of Canada, chairman of the political committee, immediately called his group to begin actual work tomorrow on setting up a committee of inquiry on Palestine.

The Jewish Agency executive in Jerusalem prepared fly Chairman David Ben-Curion to New York. He appeared to be the likely choice to speak before the political committee, although Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver of Cleveland, head of the executive's American section, has spear-headed the agency's campaign on this side.

Tax Evader Sentenced

Chicago, May 5 (AP).—Samuel Chapman, 52, Chicago, head of the Emprie Packing Co., was sentenced today to a year and a day in prison and fined $10,000 for evading $193,319 in income taxes for 1943.

Post Wr... olliard Wins Pulitzer Prize



EDWARD T. FOLLIARD

Edward T. Folliard, White House reported for The Washington Post, yesterday was named winner of one of the eight Pulitzer journalism prizes. The award was for his articles on the Columbians, Inc.

The award and $500 cash went to the 47-year-old reported for "a distinguished example of telegraphci reporting on national affairs."

It was the second Pulitzer prize to come to The Post. The newspaper was awarded the editorial prize in 1936. Its present cartoonist, Herbert Lawrence Block, was awarded the cartoonist award in 1942.

Eddy Gilmore Honored

Eddy Gilmore, Associated Press foreign correspondent now chief of the Moscow bureau and a former Post reporter, was awarded a Pulitzer prize for "a distinguished example of telegraphic reporting on international affairs in daily newspapers in the United States."

The Gold Medal for disinterested and meritorious public service in journalism went to the Baltimore Sun for a series of articles by Howard M. Norton dealing with the administration of unemployment compensation in Maryland. Convictions and guilty pleas of 93 persons resulted.

Four awards were given in literature and one in music, but none was made for a play.

Robert Penn Warren's "All The King's Men" was awarded the prize for the distinguished novel published in 1946.

Vaughn Shoemaker, Chicago Daily News cartoonist, was given his second Pulitzer award for a distinguished example of a cartoonist's work. His first was in 1938.

A Georgia Tech student and amateur cameraman, Arnold Hardy, won the prize for an outstanding example of news photography with his picture of a woman leaping to her death from the Winecoff Hotel fire last December.

Recommended by Board

The Pulitzer awards were announced by Acting President Frank D. Fackenthal of Columbia University on the basis of recommendations from an advisory board.

Other prizes included:

"For distinguished correspondence during the year"—Brooks Atkinson of the New York Times, for a series of articles on Russia.

"For distinguished editorial writing"—William H. Grimes, of the Wall Street Journal.

"For a distinguished example of a reporter's work"—Frederick Woltman, of The New York World Telegram, for articles on "The Infiltration of Communism Into the United States."

The advisory board awarded a special citation to Columbia's graduate school of journalism and to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. The Post-Dispatch citation was in recognition of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Joseph Pulitzer. The Columbia recognition expressed the board's gratitude "for efforts to maintain and advance the high standards governing these wards."

For White Biography

The American biography award went to "The Autobiography of William Allen White," published after death of the Emporia, Kans., editor. The prize probably will be presented to the widow.

James Phinney Baxter 3d, won the award for history with his "Scientists Against Time" and Robert Lowell's "Lord Weary's Castle" won the verse prize.

The music award went to Charles Ives of West Redding, Conn., for his "Symphony No. 3," performed in New York last April.

The $1500 scholarship for an art student "certified as the most promising and deserving by the National Academy of Design" went to William H. Kummann, of Glen Rock, N. J. Winners of three traveling $1500 scholarships, to be selected from the Columbia School of Journalism, will be announced later, trustees said.

Covered In a Week

Folliard covered the Columbian series—"Hate Street" he called it—in a week's investigation. The assignment came while he was with President Truman in Key West, Fla., and it said:

"Stop in Atlanta and put the microscope on the Columbians. Find out who they are, what they

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Chicago Milk Supplies Cut 90% by Strike

Dealers Close 73 Dairies After 900 Walk Out at 2 Plants

Chicago, May 5 (AP).—A strike of some 900 "inside workers" at two Chicago dairies today curtailed almost 90 per cent of the city's milk supply, as 73 other member dairies closed on instructions of their collective bargaining representative.

The Associated Milk Dealers, representing 75 dairies in this area, said that although the strike was called against only two of the larger dairies, Bowman and Dean, it was considered "a strike against the entire industry."

Thomas B. Gilmore, attorney for the dealers, said "we're not operating any of the 73 other plants for that reason."

After a meeting of officials of the dairies and of the AFL Dairy Workers Union in the office of Mayor Martin H. Kennelly, the mayor said he thought the two sides were not very far apart and that some progres had been made.

The walkout, which began at midnight last night, was in support of demands for a 40-hour week at $60.16, the same pay the workers now receive for 48 hours; a $2 weekly increase for workers in country plants; pay for six holidays; and three weeks vacation after 10 years employment.

"Arrangements were agreed upon by the union and the dairies to maintain deliveries to hospitals, orphanages and some other institutions.

72 Idle 8000 At Hudson

Detroit, May 5 (AP).—A strike of plant protection men closed the Hudson Motor Car Co. today and idled an estimated 8000 workers.

John McGahey, president of Plant Protection Meh's Local 114, CIO United Auto Workers, said 72 members staged the walkout to protest a company refusal to recognize their union.

1000 Strike At Pullman

Worcester, Mass., May 5 (AP).—One thousand production workers at the Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Co. plant here went on strike today after negotiations failed to produce an agreement to replace that which expired March 22.

Mystery Death Takes 25 Babies; Studies Progress

Philadelphia, May 5 (AP).—Twenty-five babies have died since March 1 of a mysterious form of diarrhea for which doctors say there is no known cure. Twenty died at Allentown, Pa., five others at Somerville, N. J.

At Temple University Hospital here, where 13 sufferers from gastroenteritis have been brought from Allentown, a spokesman said a special staff of doctors and nurses apparently is making progress. The children were reported in good condition today and the prospect of additional fatalities was "considerably lightened."

For 'Bad Breath'

Jury Indicts Wife on Charge Of Mailing Poison to Spouse

A 26-year-old mother was indicted yesterday for allegedly mailing her estranged husband two kinds of poison for what she termed his "bad breath."

The District grand jury placed the charges against Mrs. Ethel V. Durham, 26, 1561 Douglas st. ne. According to the indictment, the poisons were mailed by her to Hollis M. Durham, chief quartermaster, stationed at the Naval Barracks, West Potomac Park, here.

On March 3, Mrs. Durham sent him three bichloride of mercury tablets, the charge relates. On March 14, she allegedly sent him 10 tablets containing salt and sodium bisulphate, a chemical commonly used to clean out toilet drains.

Assistant United States Attorney John J. O'Leary quoted Mrs. Durham as stating she didn't expect her husband to take the tablets, but merely wanted "to make him as unhappy as he made me."

With the chemicals, it is charged, Mrs. Durham inclosed notes advising her husband the tablets were to be taken to cure bad breath. The notes each were signed "A Friend."

She wrote him, according to authorities, to take a mercury bichloride tablet morning and night. Instead, Durham notified police.

The Government chemist who analyzed the bichloride tablets said that they could kill an indefinite number of people.

In other indictments, Lee Wat-

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$3,000,000 Refund Due Pepco Users

Supreme Court Denial of Rate Review Affects 238,000 Consumers

The Supreme Court's decision yesterday denying review of the Pepco rate case will return more than three million dollars to Washington area electricity consumers.

By the court action, which climaxed about three years of litigation, the stand of the District Public Utilities Commission in reducing Pepco rates on March 1, 1944 was upheld:

Approximately 238,000 area electric power consumers will be affected by the court action, but how much of a refund each will receive was in doubt yesterday.

Pepco Has "Refund Reserve"

Pepco has created a "refund reserve" which now totals approximately $3,200,000, and on an average basis, each area power user would get slightly more than $10 back from the power company.

But PUC Commission Chairman James H. Flanagan warned yesterday that any such tally of the refund "just doesn't mean a thing right now." He explained a public hearing has been set for May 27 at 10 a. m. in the District Building Board Room to figure out how to distribute the refund, and to catch up loose threads caused by the litigation.

Only sure thing at this point is that Pepco's customers who were on the books between March 1, 1943 and March 1, 1944 will receive an aggregate of $1,000,000.

237,731 Customers on Booke

PUC hearings on operations of Pepco during 1945 were adjourned without final decision because of the pending litigation and 1946 rate hearings have not yet been held. Since fair rates for these two years has not yet been determined, only a rough estimate that the refunds would equal those for the first year of the litigation is available.

Flanagan stated that as of the end of last year, 237,731 power customers were on Pepco books. Of this number, 203,058 were residential consumers, 34,061 were retail commercial, 560 were wholesale commercial, one was a street railway, two others were electric utilities, and 49 were street lighting companies.

Largest Pepco customer is the Federal Government, which had sought a cut in rates larger than that ordered by the commission in 1944, but was not permitted to appeal from the commission's order.

The court action yesterday climaxed approximately three years of litigation which began when the PUC ordered lower electric rates on March 1, 1944. According to Pepco, the rate order issued by the District Utilities Commission cut its rates by more than one million dollars annually.

The PUC order was based on a modified "sliding scale" formula established in 1925, which determined fair consumer rates for each year on the basis of Pepco operations in the preceding 12 months.

The Supreme Court gave no reason for its refusal to review the case.

Senate Approves 100-Million Slash For Labor, FSA

With an economy coalition in control, the Senate last night passed a Labor Department-Federal Security Agency appropriation totalling $1,676,198,080—or about $100,000,000 less than President Truman asked.

The bill, which is $8,388,000 less than the House voted, now goes to a Senate-House conference committee where differences will be ironed out. The funds are to finance the two agencies for the fiscal year starting July 1. The Senate action was on a voice vote.

C. & O. Head Scores RFC, B. & O. Deal

'Either Dishonest Or Incompetent,' Young Tells Senate Banking Committee

By Francis J. Kelly
Associated Press Reporter

Robert R. Young, railroad executive, testified yesterday that the handling of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad reorganization by the B. & O. and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation "was either dishonest or incompetent."

And he added that "one does not expect incompetency in financial matters from RFC or former RFC officials. Several high B. & O. officials formerly held posts with the RFC.

Young, chairman of the Chesapeake & Ohio lines and of the Allegheny Corp., appeared before the Senate Banking Committee at the request of Chairman Tobey (R., N. H.).

The committee is investigating RFC's financial dealings with the B. & O., with particular emphasis on the railroad's reorganization in 1945. Under that plan, an 80 million dollar RFC loan originally due in 1944 was extended to 1965.

$106,000,000 Available

Young testified that when the B. & O. underwent reorganization "under the alleged pressure" of the RFC loan, there should have been available at least 106 million dollars to meet that debt. He cited 40 million dollars in cash, 35 million dollars in Government bonds, and 31 million dollars in "cash unnecessarily diverted to other long term creditors in 1943-44." He added:

"Having met the RFC debt, if further sums had been needed for any purpose, there was also available 128 million dollars of quotable collateral. Any large bank would have been delighted to have made Baltimore & Ohio a serial loan on this collateral as security.

"I have not included 12 million dollars of high grade quotable collateral strangely canceled by the Baltimore & Ohio management on the eve of the bankruptcy."

Young said the statistics upon which he based his conclusions were furnished by Tobey or were available in various publications.

Questioned by Senators after reading his statement, Young declared that in the B. & O. affair "the RFC was playing power politics with Wall Street."

"In Bed With Wall Street"

Senator Capehart (R., Ind.) asked whether he meant the Government lending agency was competing with Wall Street.

"I mean they've been in bed with Wall Street," Young replied.

He also expressed the belief that the Missouri Pacific, Chicago Northwestern and several other roads which received RFC loans have been "grossly and almost criminally mismanaged."

He declared that the RFC made "a bad deal for the American people" when it extended the 80 million dollar loan to the B. & O. Tobey has contended that action left RFC "holding the bag" for that amount.

Young testified that in his opinion the loan was made, among other purposes, to put RFC officials permanently into the railroad organization.

The witness said a railroad does not need a large cash reserve. He explained that a railroad receives cash for its services before it is required to lay out cash for labor, supplies and other operating expenses.

"Chesapeake & Ohio's two once-financially-weak subsidiaries, Pere Marquette and Nickel Plate, stripped of every dollar of working capital, were safely brought through far more difficult times than the B. & O. faced in 1945," he testified.

In an afternoon session, Russell

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Indorsement Is Qualified

Stassen for Turk-Greek Aid Without Military Assistance

Minnesota Aspirant For President Terms Program Negative

Harold E. Stassen yesterday gave a qualified indorsement to the 400-million-dollar Greek-Turkish-aid program, but warned against arming an all-out military offensive in Greece.

The Minnesota former Governor and presidential aspirant termed the program largely negative, but said he favored the Senate-passed bill, carrying the Vandenberg amendment, giving the United Nations the last say.

He told a press conference here the United States should concentrate on building a stable and prosperous Greek regime that would weaken the appeal of Communist guerillas.

"We should not finance, arm or advise an all-out military offensive against the Greeks in the mountains in opposition to the Government," he said.

"If we do that it will involve a tragic, ineffective and unsuccessful spilling of blood of Greek versus Greek in an attempt by military means to settle the form

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U. S. May Bolster France if Ramadier Can Keep Reds Out

Paris, May 5 (AP).—A high American official source said tonight the United States was preparig for possible increased aid to the tattered French econocy, provided Premier Paul Ramadier can hold together his new non-Communist coalition government.

This statement was made after a French cabinet minister asserted President Truman's program for aiding democracies under threat of Communist domination prompted Ramaider to oust the five Communists in the cabinet yesterday.

The American source said the embassy was drawing up a detained report on what sort of assistance the French regime will need and how much could be expected. He said the information would be relayed to Washington in anticipation of fresh requests from the French to solve their food, fuel and industrial problems.

The source added that a decisive factor may be whether the French Socialists, Ramadier's party, want

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House Unit Unmoved By Marshall's Appeal For Broadcast Funds

The Federal Diary

6000 Federal Jobs Slashed By House Unit's Economy Ax

By Jerry Kluttz
Post Reporter

The House Appropriations Committee yesterday swung its economy ax and cut off the jobs of upward of 6000 Federal employes in the State, Commerce and Justice departments.

Its recommendations were made in the 1948 appropriation bill for these three departments which were given an overall cut of 23 per cent.

Less than 2500 employes whose jobs are threatened are in this city.

The personnel of the State Department was hardest hit. More than 2000 of its 7000 employes in this country would be fired, a 30 per cent clash. About 1500 of the jobs that would be abolished are here. Overseas, another 2000 employes would be fired, or about 12 per cent of the 17,000-man staff.

Though given the largest money cut, Commerce would be required to fire no more than 2000 employes—if that many—and about half of them located here.

Justice was hardly touched by the economy drive. It would need to cut off about 400 jobs. Very few employes would be fired as the reduction could be met largely by employe turnover.

The committee branded the State Department as an "uncoordinated series of offices, divisions, and sundry offshoots," and it demanded its thorough-going reorganization. Further, it called on the Budget Bureau to see if activities like Philippine Rehabilitation and the International Boundary and Water Commission could be divorced from the department.

The Office of Information and Cultural Affairs, with 3158 employes, would be completely wiped out. It has 1125 of its employes here and in New York, divided about half and half.

The Research and Intelligence Office would lose about 350 of its 991 employes. The committee placed a limit of 60 on its contemplated field staff.

Other Jobs Affected

In addition, at least 500 people here in regular State activities would lose their jobs because of the $27,897,000 reduction made in its domestic services. And the committee said a greater cut would have been made had world conditions been less disturbing.

State officials admitted that the 500 estimate could go to 1000, at least, if they decide to gamble, and lose, on getting more money in the Senate.

The bill calls on each department to make reductions promptly. It warns that no additional funds will be appropriated to pay terminal leave costs. This provision, State officials said, may force several hundred employes on forced vacations.

Overseas, the vast majority of employes who would be fired are locally-hired aliens.

The foreign service was cut $15,703,000, but it would continue to expand. Its budget called for 12,373 employes during the 1948 fiscal year. The committee, however, demanded better utilization of personnel and more efficiency in the foreign service.

COMMERCE: Its budget was sliced $95,932,000 by the committee to $191,017,000, about $8,000,000 under this year's budget. A

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4 Justices Dissent

Supreme Court Upholds FBI Home Search Without Warrant

By Dillard Stokes
Post Reporter

Chief Justice Vinson and a Supreme Court majority yesterday upheld FBI agents who arrested a man and then ransacked his home without a search warrant.

Vinson saw the search as a lawful blow against crime, but four dissenting justices said the decision destroyed the Constitutional safeguard against unreasonable search and seizure.

Justice Murphy warned that a future Government would use the majority ruling to put down political opposition.

Justice Frankfurter said there could be no freedom of thought, or speech, or religion, while men were open to searches like that approved by the court yesterday.

Justice Jackson said the majority's decision would be taken by the police as authority to search any home, if they could get a warrant for anybody who lived there.

The court's vital decision grew out of a petty mail fraud case in Oklahoma. Warrants were issued charging George Harris and C. R. Mofgett with mailing a forged check on the Mudge Oil Co. for $25,000 to New York. Two FBI agents took the warrants to Harris' home in Oklahoma City and placed him under arrest. Three more agents then joined the first two.

Agents Ransack Apartment

Leaving Harris handcuffed to a chair in his living room, the five agents then went through the apartment. They took more than five hours, taking up the carpet, turning the bed upside down, combing the linen, opening drawers and cabinets.

The agents testified later that they were looking for two $10,000 checks that were stolen from the oil company and might have been part of the fraud, and for anything else that might prove to be evidence. The agents did not find the two checks, but under some clothes in a drawer in the bedroom they did find a sealed envelope marked, "George Harris, personal papers."

In the envelope were 11 draft registration certificates and 8 notices of draft classification. Harris had no right to have these things, and he got five years for having them. He asked the Supreme Court to set aside his sentence, upon the ground that the evidence against him was taken in an unlawful search.

Security Council Informed of Yugo, Albanian Action

Geneva, Switzerland, May 5 (U.P.).—The United Nations Balkans Inquiry Commission cabled the Security Council in New York tonight that Yugoslavia and Albania have refused to cooperate with its newly organized subsidiary investigation group.

Yugoslavia and Albania refused to appoint liaison representatives to the group, which will have headquarters at Salonika, Greece, and informed the commission it could expect no facilities for work in their countries.

The two countries also said they would not produce witnesses if the investigation group needed them.

Attorneys to Check Bills

Will of Mrs. McLean Hints Fear of Trickery by Creditors

The late Mrs. Evalyn Walsh McLean was fearful to the end that her creditors would try to gyp her estate.

This was disclosed yesterday when her will was filed in District Court.

Value of the properties she left when she died April 26, will not be learned until her attorneys petition the court to probate the will.

The bulk of the estate was bequeathed to Mrs. McLean's seven grandchildren, although she gave former Senator Robert Rice Reynolds, her son-in-law, use of her Washington estate, Friendship, because "he showed such love and consideration for my daughter, the late Mrs. Evalyn McLean Reynolds, that he richly deserves to be fully considered in this matter."

Mrs. McLean wrote in the will, "I desire that my body be cremated," whether this has been done could not be learned last night.

Of her creditors, she wrote that inasmuch as she believes that many charges made to her and bills rendered to her are greater in amount than the sums actually due some of her creditors, she directed her attorneys to investigate and pay the creditors only what they are due.

The fabulous Hope diamond was not mentioned specifically in the will, but she decreed that except for specific bequests, the estate be divided ultimately among the grandchildren.

Taber Group Denies Funds for Programs Beamed to Russia And Other Nations

By Mary Spargo
Post Reporter

Ignoring a personal appeal by Secretary of State Marshall the House Appropriations Committee last night refused to approve funds for the "Voice of America" broadcasts to Russia and other nations.

The committee ignored, too, the statements by representatives of leading broadcasting chains that the program was too vast to be undertaken by private radio enterprise.

Marshall, Lieut. Gen. W. Bedell Smith, United States Ambassador to Moscow, other top ranking State Department and Government intelligence experts, and radio executives conferred for 2½ hours yesterday with Senate and House leaders in an effort to stop the GOP economy slash.

Taber Is Unconvinced

Chairman John Taber (R., N. Y.) of the House Appropriations Committee made it plain after the conference that he was not convinced and that his committee would stick to its original decision.

The committee yesterday lopped $162,893,515 from President Truman's budget for the State, Commerce and Justice Departments, and the Judiciary.

The State Department estimate was reduced by 22 per cent, including the elimination of the "Voice of America" broadcasts and all other parts of the department's foreign cultural relations program.

The Commerce Department received the most severe pruning, with a 33 per cent cut. The Federal Judiciary was trimmed by 20 per cent, while the Justice Department escaped lightly with a minimum 2.7 per cent.

FBI Request Granted

The FBI came out with its full 35 million dollars as requested by J. Edgar Hoover, who told the committee of a growing crime wave and the spread of communism in the United State.

Angry debate over the GOP's determined drive to slash President Truman's budget by six billion dollars filled committee rooms and corridors on both sides of the Capitol yesterday.

In the Senate, Interior Secretary J. A. Krug told an Appropriations subcommittee that the House-passed 45 per cent slash in Interior's budget would prove "much more costly to the American people than the amount which would be saved."

Senator James Murray (D., Mont.) labeled the 45 per cent slash as "a crime perpetrated by the Republican Party." He charged that "greedy, explosive interests" in the GOP opposed the development of the West.

Agriculture Cuts Studied

Meanwhile, Representative Harris Ellsworth (R., Oreg.) warned that an Appropriations Subcommittee was considering "severe cuts" in the President's budget for the Agriculture Department.

Ellsworth said he had appealed to the committee not to cut funds for forest fire protection and the study and control of insect pests.

The cut in the State, Commerce and Justice Department budget

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500 Federal Prisoners on Hunger Strike

By the United Press

The Justice Department said yesterday it understood most of the 550 inmates of the Danbury (Conn.) Federal Reformatory had gone on a hunger strike in protest against food being served to them.

They said Federal Prison Director James V. Bennett had been informed by Acting Warden K. E. Thieman that the inmates were "quiet and orderly," but extra officers were placed on guard.

A Justice Department spokesman said Thieman had informed Bennett that "most of the prisoners" had refused to go to breakfast and also "refused to go to work."

They said that although Bennett had received no details of the prisoners' complaints, it was understood it was over their food. They said Bennett had asked H. B. Taubken, chief steward of the Bureau, to investigate.

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'Well-Digger's Daughter' Is Definite

Capital's Foreign Film Pot Boiling, But Raimu Is the Only Sure Dish

By Richard L. Coe

WITH "HENRY V" ending its long run at the Little and "Brief Encounter" settled at the Hippodrome, there's plenty of scuttlebutt about foreign films and theaters for 'em.

Definitely on the horizon is "The Well-Digger's Daughter." This French comedy has had a long run in New York and will open at the Little Friday, May 23. Raimu is the star. Marcel Pagnol, who gave us "Topaze," "Harvest" and "The Baker's Wife," wrote, directed and produced it.

Bibi Osterwald

The Hippodrome has no immediate worries with "Brief Encounter" spinning along and with "This Happy Breed," "The Captive Heart," "Ivan the Terrible" and "Angels and Sinners" on the books to follow.

Which brings us to a project of the Pix Theater's Sam Cummins. He has a string of Pixes from Philadelphia to Virginia and has just signed a lease on some property in the Dupont Circle area, where he plans "an International Theater seating about 600."

Cummins has big plans for his Dupont Circle area. It covers a 170-foot frontage on Connecticut ave. on the downtown side of the circle and will house stores and a radio station as well as the theater. He claims he'll be losing $1500 a month on the old property so he's naturally in a great hurry to get cracking with his new building.

Mr. Cummins' Dream House

That, of course, is the snag, as anyone who's even trying to build a simple house can tell you. He's got the property all right. We even saw a photostat of his holding. And he's got the plans cooking. But how long it will be before you and I can go to his theater is anybody's guess. Meanwhile, we suggest he solace himself with reading "Mr. Blandings Builds His Dream House."

With the Little's downtown big brother pretty much a sure thing sometime in the fall, the immediate future gives the Capital three houses for foreign films. Once Cummins' Dupont project comes to life, there will be time to figure which of the houses will be able to capture the best imported pictures. It may be a battle, but its too far off to take seriously right now.

Cummins also talks hopefully of refurbishing the Pix. He's got pretty definite plans for this, too, as well as some foreign first-run dreams. 'Til then he'll stay happy with Bela Lugosi, Boris Karloff, "The Bedroom Diplomat" and "The Art of Love," the latter two opening this afternoon.

So, for all these words, the only sure thing is that "The Well-Digger's Daughter" will be coming into the Little the 23d.

While on the subject of new theaters, our town's newest have rated five pages in the current Motion Picture Herald's seasonal section, "Better Theaters." These are Warners' MacArthur and Sidney Lust's Cheverly, both of which are described as the latest in luxury. Since Baltimore's newly renovated Town Theater is the only other house in the layout, this is a pretty neat compliment for the local boys.

Bibi Osterwald, the Government gal who made good in musical comedy, soon will be 40 miles from home, but she'll be coming no closer. She's featured in Ray Bolger's musical, "Three to Make Ready," which will be playing Ford's Theater, Baltimore, next week. There are no plans for the Nancy Hamilton revue to play the National this season. Boston's its next stop. Because "Three to Make Ready" opens in Baltimore Tuesday night, the same evening Gielgud's "Love For Love" opens on E st., we probably won't be able to tell you much more about it except that it had a season and a half in New York and Ralph's sister, Brenda Forbes, is another of the clowns. Bibi's certainly come a long way from her Roadside, Civic Theater and Catholic University days.

With Sam Jack Kaufman's band boys taking over the sand traps of the Rock Creek golf course while Spike Jones' City Slickers assume responsibility for this week's music at the Capitol, their pit positions went to a novel crew the other night. There were the disc jockeys of the local radio stations—16 of them and their wives. The turntable lads went snooping as close as they could get without being in the show.

Belated April showers have no terrors for Col. Jim Eskew, who's holding that rodeo show these nights. Out in the wide open spaces where you know what, a rodeo show might get rained out, but in the effete atmosphere of a city, no such fears assail Jim. The cowboys, cowgirls and broncos go on, rain or shine, inside Uline Arena. The 17-event program stays through next Sunday afternoon, with a matinee Saturday. Evening shows begin at 8:30.

Tonight's bill for the Theater Alliance spring drama festival is George M. Cohan's old favorite, "The Tavern." The Falls Church Community Theater are the performers, with Alice Croft directing. Stephen Trodden plays the Vagabond and Wilfred Dierkes is the tavern keeper. Curtin time at the Cafritz Auditorium, 16th and Q, is 8:30.

LEONARD LYONS

Bagdad-on-the-Subway

New York, May 5.—A Boston collector was in Italy where he bought a 15th Century Primitive. Because no art treasure may be shipped from European countries without the government's export license, the collector resorted to a ruse which was suggested to him: A local artist painted a landscape over the 15th Century Primitive, and thus, an unimportant painting was permitted to be shipped out of the country and to Boston . . . The collector then sent it to a restorer, who reported that he not only had removed the landscape, but also the 15th Century Primitive, and found on the canvass a painting of the Victor Emanuel Coronation.

Bernard Baruch

One of Bernard Baruch's friends reprimanded him for failing to answer a letter promptly. "You always take friend. "Why do you take so long to answer letters from such care to write to your critis immediately," sai dthe friend. "Why do you take so long to answer yletters from friends?" . . . "Friends can wait for a leisurely reply," said Baruch. "I ALWAYS answer critics and soandsos first."

Last year a retired mobster died of a heart attack. When his vaults were opened his widow found a diamond bracelet which he had presented to her many years ago. In 1940 she told him that she had lost this bracelet. . . . As a matter of fact she hadn't lost it. She had visited a Hollywood gambling joint with a young man in whom she was interested. The place was held up and the stick-up men took this bracelet together with the jewels and cash belonging to the other patrons. She never told her husband about the stcik-up for fear he would learn about the young man. And he never told her that the stcik-up men worked for him, because no mobster tells his wife about his business.

George Jessel's wisdom tooth was extracted in a painful operation. But Jessel was anxious to show the pretty nurse that the pain was a mere nothing and could not halt the lover-comedian from his appointed pass at her. He remained in the dentist's chair and said to the nurse: "Watch me do imitations. First, Caruso." Then he sang an aria . . . "Now, Jolson," Jessel continued, and did an imitation of Jolson. Then Jessel started to rise, and fell down. And while he was falling he quickly explained to the nurse: "Look, Leon Errol."

Dalton Trumbo, author of "Johnny Got His Gun," is one of the highest-priced screen writers in Hollywood. When his contract first was submitted to him for signature, it contained the clause which appears in all Hollywood contracts—that the employers shall have the right to terminate the contract if the employe should be guilty of moral turpitude . . . Trumbo suggested a similar protective clause giving him the right to cancel the contract if any of his employers shall be found guilty of moral turpitude.

National Weather Summary

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24-HOUR FORECAST: Thermometer readings will drop cooler in the coastal States from Pennsylvania to Georgia as cool air from eastern Canada flows into this area. It will continue cool in the Lakes region and the Ohio Valley. Cooler weather is also expected in Washington, Montana and Utah.

Warm weather will continue in the Gulf States, southern Texas and the Southwest. (See air flow and air mass arrows.)

Showers will occur in northern New York, southern New Hampshire, eastern Dakotas, eastern Nevada and central California Tuesday, Weather Bureau forecasters predict. Showers are also pictured from Wisconsin and Minnesota to Texas. (Affected areas show where rain will occur during the next 24 hours.)

Cloudy skies will blanket northern New England, eastern Massachusetts and the upper Mississippi Valley. Clear, sunny weather is promised Pennsylvania, Ohio, the Virginias, the Carolinas, Georgia, southern Arizona, New Mexico and California, also the west portions of the Dakotas. (The inset map shows where skies will be clear, partly cloudy and cloudy today.)

Photographic fans will find the inset map helpful in planning activity. Cloudy skies usually denote poor light for color pictures and sharp outlines. Clear skies give best conditions for all types of pictures.

Showers and thundershowers will form in Texas, the Southern and Central Rockies.

Highest temperatures will range from 105 degrees at Phoenix to 48 in northern Michigan Tuesday. Forecast maximum temperatures include Fort Worth 90 degrees, St. Louis 80, Atlanta 78, Kansas City 75, Nashville 68, Washington 66, New York and Philadelphia 64, Boston, Chicigo, Milwaukee and Detroit, 58, Buffalo, Albany and Duluth 52.

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maximum of 2000, with no more than 1000 here—if that many—must be fired if the budget stands.

The committee called to the Secretary's attention the "apparent low morale" of his employes. This condition, it said, was brought on by super-imposing "unwarranted levels of authority" on the operating bureaus. It also demanded that the department exact fees from business for the services it renders. This is a bureau-by-bureau breakdown:

CENTRAL SERVICES POOL: Surprisingly, the committee ordered it abolished. The pool does the accounting, fiscal, personnel, and other service functions for half a dozen Commerce bureaus. Before the pool was created, these functions required about 1000 employes, but there are fewer than 500 people in the pool. The consolidation saved considerable money, and now Commerce officials are asking themselves: "Can we afford to abolish the pool and again scatter its work?"

SECRETARY'S OFFICE: It was blasted as having "too much planing and coordination at the top level." Its budget was sliced $3,105,000 to $4,100,000, which would require the layoff of about 350 of the 793 employes here.

The work of the Office of Technical Services, a division in the Secretary's office, was belittled by the committee. Its budget was trimmed from $3,577,700 to $1,700,000, and it suggested that OTS's work be transferred to either the Patent Office, Bureau of Standards, or both.

The committee also was hotly critical of many publications gotten out by the department to help business. It said they were of "no value."

CENSUS: It was cut $8,705,000 to $10,500,000, but only $1,350,000 under this year's budget. However, the jobs of about 700 people, of whom half are here, would be wiped out. Census has 5183 employes, 2732 here. The committee recommended its foreign trade statistics unit in New York be transferred to the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. It earmarked four million dollars for a census of manufacturers, but denied funds to take censuses of religious bodies and electrical industries.

CAA: Civil Aeronautics Administration was cut $70,487,000, the largest single slash, but the bulk of this was for new construction. Some few of its 13,000 employes would have to be fired under the bill. However, officials estimated the 1847-man staff here would remain largely unchanged.

CAB: The Civil Aeronautics Board would get a small increase in both money and personnel, but neither as large as it sought. It has 502 people and it wanted 718. The committee approved 563.

COAST AND GEODETIC: Much the same condition applies here. The agency asked for funds to expand from 2225 to 2834. The committee approved funds for about 2400 people. It demanded "a more effective coordination" of mapping and charting activities of the various Federal agencies working in this field.

BFDC: Former Secretay Wallace broke up this agency—the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce—into five separate offices. The committee said the change, unauthorized by Congress, has resulted in a loss of efficiency and economy and it demanded the bureau's prompt reestablishment. It took a swipe at the small-business office by saying the bureau shouldn't differentiate between big or little business.

The BFDC budget was trimmed $4,675,000 to a flat seven million dollars, which will mean heavy layoffs in the field. Field offices must be cut from 77 to 40, and 400 of the 856 employes in them will be fired. In Washington are 1308 people and only a handful will be axed.

PATENT OFFICE: The committee was critical of the continued backlog of work in this office and the long time now required for a patent to be issued. Indirectly, it demanded a larger patent output per examiner. It also demanded that every available person in the office be placed on the issuance of patents.

Although its budget was cut $500,000 the office would have enough money to hire 500 more employes than it had on January 1 which was 1685.

STANDARDS: Its budget was cut $3,205,000 to $7,415,000, but even so, the committee approved more than one million dollars more than the agency has this year. The agency could expand a bit.

However, the committee questioned whether the agency could exist. It said the agency parallels the work of private industry which was in a better position to do the work.

WEATHER BUREAU: It was cut $2,860,000 to $21,000,000 which is about the same amount of money it has available for this year. The committee said the bureau requested 5146 jobs, but had only 4273 on its rolls March 1. It said the agency would be able to add personnel for river and flood and warning services. The committee urged a charge to fruit growers and other interests for weather services.

JUSTICE: Comparatively few personnel shift would have to be made in this department under the committee budget. Justice asked for funds to carry a staff of 23,456. The committee approved funds for around 23,000. Only a handful of the people fired are in Washington.

The committe said the 40-hour week ran up the cost of the FBI, Federal prisons, and border patrol of Immigration and Naturalization.

This is a breakdown of the Justice budget:

CLAIMS: This division was given a $51,000 increase over funds this year, but $75,000 under budget estimates. It has about 300 employes now and it can be continued at that level.

ANTITRUST: An appropriation of $2,400,000 was recommended which is $100,000 under budget estimates, but an increase of $280,900 over this year. The Antitrust staff will remain substantially the same. The division will close all but two field offices.

LANDS: It was given $2,550,000, a reduction of $100,000 under this year's funds. Lands had 485 employes January 1, and it sought 516 for the next fiscal year. The reduction will force a small staff cut.

FBI: This bureau was given every cent of the 35 million dollars it requested which means a staff increase of about 400 employes, from 7319 to 7715. Approved for Washington are: 140 agent supervisors, 1793 in the identification bureau, and 1132 in the bureau proper.

I & N: This agency sought funds for 7144 employes. The committee approved 6800, about the present number. However, it took a shot at the "seemingly large staff in the central office," **and ordered the central personnel office in the Immigration and Naturalization Service abolished. It said the Office of Research and Education was "overstaffed," and it said existence of the Management Planning Section could not be justified. Further, it called for closer cooperation with the State Department.**

PRISONS: Its budget was trimmed $731,000, but few employes will be affected, as the slashes will mainly hit proposed construction and equipment purchases.

ALIEN PROPERTY: This agency, which pays for itself many times over, would have to make a sharp cut in personnel. Its budget was cut $673,000 to $3,700,000.

East, West Compromise On Economic Chairman

Geneva, May 5.—As a compromise between rival candidates from the East and the West, Einar Waerum of Denmark, was elected today as permanent chairman of the European Economic Commission. Jacek Rudzinski of Poland, was elected vice chairman.

The Russians and satellites backed Jan Masaryk, foreign minister of Czechoslovakia. The British and Americans backed Andre Philip of France. To end the deadlock, Masaryk and Philip withdrew.

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Military Government Training Career Men

Berlin, May 5 (U.P.).—Col. James Duke, military government personnel chief, announced today that the American Military Government is training "permanent" career men for service in Germany.

A group of 24 college graduates already is in training in Germany and 76 more are expected here within a few months, Duke said.

1 in 20 English Mothers In 1942 Were Unwed

London, May 5 (U.P.).—One in every 20 babies in England and Wales during the war year of 1942 was born to an unwed mother, the registrar general's annual statistical review disclosed today. One girl became a mother at 12, 3 at 13 and 39 at 14.

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brought proposed GOP cuts in the cost of Government to total of $1,293,698,692. The President's over-all budget was $37,500,000,000. The House voted for a six-billion-dollar budget cut and the Senate $4,500,000,000.

Supporters of continuation of the overseas broadcasts—now beamed to 67 countries in 25 different languages—will try to have the House restore the cut.

Little Chance of Success

There appears to be little chance of success, however, since technically there has been no legislation authorizing the program, and thus the appropriation can be struck out on a parliamentary point of order. The House Rules Committee could, as it did last year, eliminate such points of order but it is not expected to do so.

The Senate can, however, restore the cuts, and if the bill contains an appropriation for the overseas broadcasts when it comes out of conference the bill will not then be subject to the parliamentary point of order.

Following the big conference yesterday, Marshall met with Chairman Arthur H. Vandenberg (R., Mich.) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and Senator Tom Connally (D., Tex.), ranking minority member.

Marshall opened the unusual conference called at the State Department yesterday by showing the congressional leaders how Moscow newspapers and radio broadcast had distorted his position during the recently concluded foreign ministers' conference. This country, he told the congressmen, must have a wave to get the truth into Soviet-dominated countries.

Fire Prevention Meeting to Hear Truman Today

President Truman will address the 1500 delegates expected at the fire prevention conference which opens at 10:30 a. m. today in the Departmental Auditorium at Constitution ave. between 12th and 14th sts nw.

The President, who is speaking at about 11 o'clock, is expected to call on the conference to draw up plans for a nation-wide fight against the fire menace.

The program will open with a concert by the U. S. Marine Band. Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, Federal Works Administrator and general chairman of the conference, and John Russell Young, president of the District Commissioners, will welcome the delegates.

Six committees have been working on recommendations to be submitted by their chairmen during the conference, which will continue through Thursday.

One Dead as Workcar Crashes Into Engine

Lynchburg, Va., May 5 (AP).—W. H. Perkins, foreman of a Norfolk and Western Railroad Co. paint crew, was fatally injured today when the electric work car on which he ad eight other painters were riding crashed into a Southern Railroad engine at the intersection of the two roads here.

Crewman E. H. Harris suffered serious injuries, hospital authorities said, including a broken leg and arm. Other painters leaped to safety before the car sped into the side of the engine, hurling Perkins under the wheels.

The accident occurred shortly after 5 p. m. when the crew members were returning from work.

Both the dead and injured men were Lynchburg residents.

$16 Million Approved To Help Philippines

The House Foreign Affairs Committee approved yesterday a bill to increase from four million dollars to 16 million dollars the amount the Philippines Rehabilitation Commission may spend for expenses.

In addition, it would let commission employes pile up 90 days of annual leave to tide them over the period after their jobs end and they are hunting other work.

Show Time in the Downtown Theaters

STAGE

National—"The Two Mrs. Carrolls," Elisabeth Bergner in a popular melodrama, at 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

RKO-Keith's—"The Best Years of Our Lives," this year's Academy Award winner, at 11:15 a. m., 2:40, 6:05 and 9:30 p. m.

Palace—"California," Barbara Stanwyck, Ray Milland and Barry Fitzgerald in a technicolored Western at 11:10 a. m., 1:15, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:35 p. m.

Earle—"The Sea Wolf," at 10 a. m., 1:35, 5:15 and 8:55 p. m. "The Sea Hawk," at 11:35 a. m., 3:15, 6:55 and 10:25 p. m.

Capitol—"Temptation," Merle Oberon and George Brent in Robert Hichens' drama, "Bella Donna," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 9:55 p. m. Spike Jones and the City Slickers on the stage at 12:40, 3:25, 6:10 and 8:55 p. m.

Metropolitan—"The Locket," Laraine Day in a tricky psychological yarn, at 11:20 a. m., 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:45 p. m.

Columbia—"Boom Town," Gable, Colbert, Lamar and Tracy in an old favorite, at 10:45 a. m., 1, 3:15, 5:25, 7:40 and 9:55 p. m.

Little—"Henry V," Laurence Olivier's Shakespearean classic, at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Hippodrome—"Brief Encounter," Noel Coward's romance, fine, adult film, at 2:15, 3:50, 5:25, 7, 8:40 and 10:15 p. m.

Pix—"Art of Love," at 2:20, 5:10, 8 and 10:15 p. m. "The Bedroom Diplomat," at 3:30, 6:20 and 9:10 p. m.

Trans Lux—Short subjects and newsreels, continuous, 10:15 a. m. to midnight.

Open Air—"Little Giant," at 7:30 and 10:40 p. m. "Pursuit to Algiers," at 9:30 p. m.

Ambassador—"The Sea Wolf," at 1:20, 4:55 and 8:30 p. m. "The Sea Hawk," at 2:55, 6:25 and 10:10 p. m.

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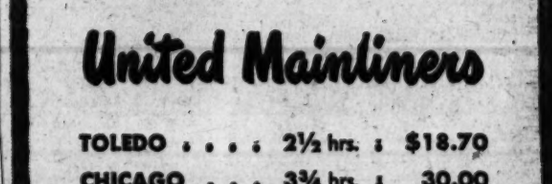

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Virginia News

10 Committee Members Named by McCue To Launch Study of School Problems

Richmond, Va., May 5 (AP).—A broad study of Virginia public school problems has been launched by the Virginia Advisory Legislative Council with the appointment of 10 committee members by Delegate E. O. McCue, jr., of Charlottesville, VALC chairman.

The 10 are: Mrs. Henry W. Decker, member of the Richmond City School Board; Dr. Walter S. Newman, vice president of Virginia Tech; Senator H. M. Long, Wise County; J. P. Snead, Fluvanna County superintendent of schools; I. Worth Peters, Prince William County superintendent of schools; Dr. Charles J. Smith, Roanoke College president; Randolph H. Perry, chairman of the Charlottesville School Board; Edward Moyler, Franklin attorney; Delegate E. Blackourn Moge of Berryville, and J. B. Woodward, jr., president of the Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock Co.

The committee will hold its first meeting here Thursday, on which day the Moses Commission, headed by Senator Charles T. Moses, and also instructed to study school affairs in the State, will meet. Both chairmen—McCue and Moses—have said they hope the work of the two bodies can be arranged to avoid overlapping and contradictions.

Two Fugitives Caught

Norfolk, Va., May 5 (AP).—Two of three men, who escaped from State prison road camp 30 Friday night, were captured by Norfolk detectives here, late last night, the third man, believed to be in Richmond, was still at large today.

The two arrested were John J. Harrison, jr., 22, and John Colen Lett, jr. They were apprehended in the apartment of Harrison's mother shortly after their stolen car had crashed into a cab. Neither put up a fight when surprised in the apartment kitchen.

Valley Laymen to Meet

Fredericksburg, Va., May 5.—The spring meeting of the Rappahannock Valley Laymen's Association will be held at St. George's Episcopal Church here tomorrow night. Seventy-five laymen from Fredericksburg and counties in this area are expected to attend.

Police Chiefs to Confer

Richmond, Va., May 5 (AP).—A regional conference of State and provincial chiefs of the International Association of Chiefs of Police will be held here May 15 and 16, Col. C. W. Woodson, jr., superintendent of State Police and conference chairman, announced today.

Expected to attend will be chiefs of State and provincial police organizations in the New England States and New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, West Virginia and Virginia and the Canadian provicnes of Quebec, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

Governor Tuck will greet the police chiefs at the opening session of the conference. The program will be centered on discussion of professional problems by several speakers.

Dr. McCluer Buried

Lexington, Va., May 5 (AP).—Funeral rites for Dr. Frank W. McCluer, 70, prominent dentist and former president of the Shenandoah Valley Dental Association, who died Saturday at his home here, were held today at 2:15 p. m. at the graveside in Lexington cemetery. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Annie Butler McCluer, and one daughter, Mrs. Stanley Newman of Waban, Mass.

Rev. J. G. Unruh Rites Set

Varina, Va., May 5 (AP).—The Rev. John Gartand Unruh, pastor of Laurel Hill Methodist Church near Varina and a member of the Virginia Methodist Conference for more than 36 years, died at his home yesterday.

He had served pastorates in Richmond, Petersburg, Culpeper, Norfolk and South Boston. He was educated at the College of William and Mary and Vanderbilt University. During World War I he served as a chaplain.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Elsie Murry Unruh, three sons and two brothers.

Funeral services will be held at Laurel Hill Church Tuesday at noon with burial in Yeocomica Cemetery, Westmoreland County, at 3:30 p. m.

Arlington Girl Graces Court

MISS BARBARA DUBORG of Arlington, Va., was among members of the court at the coronation of the May Queen at the College of William and Mary in Lexington, Va.

Mother's Day Talk Set

Fredericksburg, Va., May 5.—Thomas Lomax Hunter, King George County lawyer, poet and newspaper columnist, will make the principal address at the annual Mother's Day exercises at the home of Mary Washington, mother of George Washington, here Sunday, at 4:30 p. m. The event is sponsored by the Washington-Lewis Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Ex-Farm Agent Hurt

Charles Town, W. Va., May 5.—T. R. Pharr, county farm agent here until resigning a few weeks ago to go to farming at his home near Morgantown, was severely injured in a fall through a window at his home, friends here were advised. The fall occurred during an attack of dizziness.

Rites for Mrs. Slaughter

Culpeper, Va., May 5.—Mrs. Lucy Williams Slaughter, 84, widow of Maj. Edwin L. Slaughter, died Saturday night at Redwood near Culpeper. She was the daughter of the late George Morton Williams and his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Long Williams, of Redwood, and had spent her entire life in Culpeper.

Funeral services were held today at the residence. She is survived by her only child, Miss Gertrude Williams Slaughter, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry St. George Tucker and Miss Gertrude Williams of Culpeper, and a brother, Attorney Pendleton Long Williams of Huntington, W. Va., and Culpeper.

Rail Shop Strike Ends

Norfolk, Va., May 5 (AP).—R. W. Rogers, chief mechanical officer of the Seaboard Air Line railroad, has announced that the strike of 632 employes at the Jacksonville shops of the company has ended and normal operations were resumed today.

The work stoppage—termed a wildcat strike by Seaboard officials—was said to have developed over who should operate two light electric trains.

CORRECTION

A story in Sunday's Post on the Mother's Day services planned by the American War Mothers at Arlington National Cemetery this Sunday, carried two photographs, one of which was incorrectly identified. The picture marked "Mrs. Stevens" was actually a photograph of Mrs. R. B. Teachenor of Kansas City, Mo., national president of the American War Mothers. The Post regrets the error.

40 Students To Be Guests Of Scientists

Charlottesville, Va., May 5 (Spl.). The 40 top winners in the Virginia Science Talent Search, conducted early this year in the various high schools of the State, under the sponsorship of the Virginia Academy of Scinece, have been invited to attend the VAS meeting to be held at the University of Virginia on Thursday and Friday of this week.

A committee of six, comprised of one representative from each of the Science Open Houses, will interview the 40 boys and girls on Thursday night and select approximately 15 final winners. All others will be regarded as honorable mentions.

On Friday night the winners will be invited to present synopses of their essays to appropriate sections of the academy. Science tours and other forms of entertainment will be arranged for the visitors. Awards to the winners will be made Friday night.

The 1947 winners are:

Girls—Marianne R. Beck, Elizabeth De Wolfe, Carolyn A. Jones and Margaret Taylor, Thomas Jefferson, Richmond; Barbara A. Hoskin and Melissa Warfield, Granby, Norfolk; Kathleen O'Keefe and Mary L. Stelbasky, Holy Trinity, Norfolk; Mary Lee Meredith, June A. Rodefer and Joyce Stoutamyer, Warren County, Front Royal, Ilanon V. Dycer, St. Mary's Academy, Alexandria; Bettye Williams, George Washington, Danville; and Anne K. Brown, Lane High, Charlottesville.

Boys—Robert H. Davis, William R. Harlan, Frederick T. Kraus, Bernard B. Lacy, Eugene Edwin Lee, Wiliam L. Stevens, R. D. Webester and Julian M. Wright, Thomas Jefferson, Richmond; Hugh A. Benton, Henry L. Burton, S. N. Douglas, jr., William H. Lupton, George McCasland, James W. Rinker and Bobby T. Wood, Lane High, Charlottesville; George T. Yeamans, John Marshall, Richmond; Robert G. Doumar, Holy Trinity, Norfolk; Edward M. Foley, George Washington, Danville; Henry Moncure, jr., Radford; Ray C. McCraw, Fishburne Military Academy, Waynesboro; James A. Payne, jr., Warren County, Front Royal; James McD. Rice, Osbourn High, Manassas; Leroy B. Riddle, jr., West Point; Julian A. Scott, jr., Northampton High, Eastville; A. J. Smith, 3d, Huntington High, Newport News; and Lee D. Walker, Martinsville.

Fugitive Is Hunted

Hagerstown, Md., May 5.—State and local police today were on the lookout for Francis King, 24, Negro, who escaped from the Maryland House of Correction yesterday. The prisoner made an unsuccessful attempt to escape several months ago while being held on a larceny charge.

Station WCHV—Tuesday

Charlottesville, Va. 1240 KC

6:30 a. m.—Musical Clock.
6:55 a. m.—Farm News, Norman Kelsey.
7:00 a. m.—World News.
7:05 a. m.—Musical Clock.
7:25 a. m.—News.
7:30 a. m.—Zeke Manners.
7:45 a. m.—Breakfast Time News.
7:55 a. m.—News.
8:00 a. m.—Martin Agronsky, News.
8:15 a. m.—Bing Crosby.
8:30 a. m.—Norman Kelsey, News.
8:40 a. m.—Les Paul Trio.
8:45 a. m.—Curt Massey Sings.
8:55 a. m.—News.
9:00 a. m.—Breakfast Club, Don McNeil.
10:00 a. m.—Music for Milady.
10:25 a. m.—Betty Crocker's Magazine of the Air.
10:35 a. m.—The Listenin' Post.
11:00 a. m.—Tom Breneman.
11:30 a. m.—The Hollywood Story.
11:45 a. m.—Ted Malone.
12:00 noon—The Kenny Baker Show.
12:30 p. m.—News.
12:35 p. m.—Tell Me Doctor.
12:40 p. m.—Town Crier.
12:45 p. m.—Waltz Album.
1:00 p. m.—Baukhage Talking, News.
1:15 p. m.—Music of the Masters.
1:45 p. m.—Church of the Air.
2:00 p. m.—Kiernan's Corner, News.
2:15 p. m.—Ethel and Albert.
2:30 p. m.—Bride and Groom.
3:00 p. m.—Ladies, Be Seated.
3:30 p. m.—Edwin C. Hill.
3:45 p. m.—1240 Club.
5:00 p. m.—Terry and the Pirates.
5:15 p. m.—Sky King.
5:30 p. m.—Jack Armstrong.
5:45 p. m.—Styles in Song.
6:00 p. m.—Richfield Reporter.
6:05 p. m.—Cavalier News.
6:10 p. m.—Sports Extra.
6:15 p. m.—Music by Martin.
6:30 p. m.—Music to Remember.
6:45 p. m.—Musical America.
7:00 p. m.—Dinner Concert.
7:15 p. m.—Elmer Davis, News.
7:30 p. m.—Concert Echoes.
7:45 p. m.—Reminiscin' with Singin' Sam.
8:00 p. m.—Lum 'n' Abner.
8:15 p. m.—Frank Sinatra Sings.
8:30 p. m.—Boston Symphony Orchestra.
9:30 p. m.—University Magazine of the Air.
10:00 p. m.—Columbia Record Shop.
10:30 p. m.—Off the Record.
11:00 p. m.—Top of the News.
11:05 p. m.—News of Tomorrow.
11:15 p. m.—Just Music.
11:30 p. m.—The Music You Want.

Mary Washington May Queen

AND MAID-OF-HONOR—Miss Nancy Hite (left) of Blackstone, Va., was crowned May Queen at Mary Washington College in Fredericksburg, Va., at a colorful ceremony Saturday witnessed by more than 2000 persons. Her maid-of-honor was Miss Sarah Armstrong (right) of Leesburg, Fla.

Guilty Verdict Indicated in Court-Martial

Annapolis, Md., May 5 (AP).—A Naval Academy general court-martial reached a verdict today in the case fo Marine Pfc. Joseph C. O'Leary, 18, of Buffalo, N. Y., charged with abusing prisoners in the Severn River Naval Academy brig, but no announcement was made of the findings.

Usually the lack of a public report indicates the defendant has been found guilty of one or more of the charges against him.

An academy spokesman said the court-martial had reached a verdict and was preparig the trial record for Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, jr., academy superintendend and Severn River commandant who convened the court. An announcement would have been made had O'Leary been acquitted of any of the seven specifications against him.

He was one of two former brgi prisoners among the five Marines and a sailor accused of maltreating men confined in the north Severn guardhouse. Four of the defendants were guards.

The court-martial trial of Seaman 1/c James E. Childs, 21, Mamilla, Ga., was completed last month. The third in the series, with Marine Pfc. Arthur E. Fannin, jr., 21, Logan, W. Va., as defendant will start within a few days, the spokesman said. Childs was a prisoner and Fannin a guard.

Station WEPM—Tuesday

Martinsburg, W. Va. 1340 KC

7:00 a. m.—Associated Press News.
7:05 a. m.—Wake-Up Tunes.
7:15 a. m.—Sunset Pals.
7:45 a. m.—Moments of Devotion.
8:00 a. m.—Associated Press News.
8:15 a. m.—Music for Tuesday.
9:00 a. m.—Associated Press News.
9:05 a. m.—Ray knd Skipper.
9:30 a. m.—News Flash Bulletin Board.
10:00 a. m.—Associated Press News.
10:05 a. m.—Especially for the Ladies.
11:00 a. m.—Associated Press News.
11:05 a. m.—Highlights from Hollywood.
10:30 a. m.—For Listening Only.
11:30 a. m.—Tunes at Noon.
12:00 noon—Associated Press News.
12:15 p. m.—Tune at Noon Bulletin Board.
12:30 p. m.—Eastern Panhandle Farm Hour.
12:45 p. m.—Man on the Street.
1:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.
1:05 p. m.—WEPM Bulletin Board.
1:15 p. m.—Lean Back and Listen.
1:30 p. m.—Jig Saw News.
1:45 p. m.—Hawaiian Melodies.
2:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.
2:05 p. m.—According to the Record.
2:15 p. m.—Moods of Poetry.
2:30 p. m.—News Flash Bulletin Board.
3:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.
3:05 p. m.—Light Opera Hour.
4:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.
4:05 p. m.—Ray and Skipper.
4:30 p. m.—Popular Dance Bands.
4:45 p. m.—Three-Quarter Time.
5:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.
5:15 p. m.—Tomorrow's Hits.
6:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.
6:05 p. m.—Today's Hits.
6:15 p. m.—Sports Special.
6:30 p. m.—The Old National Hour.
6:45 p. m.—Bing Crosby.
7:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.
7:05 p. m.—Country Show.
7:10 p. m.—Interlude.
7:15 p. m.—Charlie Spivak.
7:30 p. m.—The Haunting Hour.
8:00 p. m.—Associated Press News
8:05 p. m.—John W. Vandercook
8:10 p. m.—Jefferson Republican.
8:15 p. m.—Musical Memoirs.
8:30 p. m.—Milt Herth Trio.
8:45 p. m.—Jerry Sears.
9:00 p. m.—Between the Lines.
9:15 p. m.—Sacred Heart Program.
9:30 p. m.—Columbia Masterworks.
10:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.
10:05 p. m.—Request Hour.
11:00 p. m.—Associated Press News.

Payroll Theft In Md. Laid to Norfolk Gang

Baltimore, May 5 (AP).—Police expressed the opinion today that an-out-of-town gang of fast-moving bandits might have staged the $24,602 payroll holdup last Friday at Cohen, Goldman Clothing Manufacturing Co.

Detectives pointed to similarities between the local robbery and one in Norfolk, Va., six days earlier.

They said the Norfolk bandits traveled in a stolen sedan, held up the cashier of a chain store, kidnaped him in the car, took him to an isolated spot and robbed him of more than $12,000.

Four of the five men who participated in the Baltimore holdup could have been out-of-towners, police theorized further, guided by a local man familiar with the city.

Earlier police described a "mister five-by-five" as the apparent leader of the gang which held up the local clothing firm.

Chief Inspector M. Joseph Wallace of the Baltimore police teletyped descriptions of five suspects to detectives in 19 States.

One man, "who appeared to be the spokesman," was described as "40 years old, 5 feet 4 inches, stocky build, wore brown sloppy-looking suit, dark slouch hat" Wallace messaged.

The short, stout character was said by payroll clerks to have been in command when the gang swooped down on the factory five minutes after the cash had been delivered by an armored car.

Station WINC—Tuesday

Winchester, Va. 1400 KC

6:30 a. m.—Hill and Plain.
7:30 a. m.—Johnny Morgan.
8:00 a. m.—Martin Agronsky; News.
8:15 a. m.—Birthday Club.
8:30 a. m.—Merry-Go-Round.
8:45 a. m.—Style Parade.
9:00 a. m.—Don McNiell Breakfast Club.
10:00 a. m.—My True Story.
10:25 a. m.—Betty Crocker.
10:45 a. m.—Listening Post.
11:00 a. m.—Breakfast in Hollywood.
11:30 a. m.—Hollywood Story.
11:45 a. m.—Ted Malone.
12:00 noon—Luncheon Lyrics.
12:15 p. m.—Dr. Pepper 10-2-4.
12:30 p. m.—Band Wagon.
12:45 p. m.—Community News.
1:00 p. m.—Baukhage News.
1:15 p. m.—Front Royal News.
1:30 p. m.—Mark Remarks.
2:00 p. m.—Kiernan. News.
2:15 p. m.—Ethel and Albert.
2:30 p. m.—Bride and Groom.
3:00 p. m.—Ladies Be Seated.
3:15 p. m.—Flit Frolics.
3:30 p. m.—Edwin C. Hill.
3:45 p. m.—Sears Souvenirs.
4:15 p. m.—Record Shop.
4:45 p. m.—Dick Tracy.
5:00 p. m.—Terry & Pirates.
5:15 p. m.—Sky King.
5:30 p. m.—Jack Armstrong.
5:45 p. m.—Record Album.
6:00 p. m.—Sundown Serenade.
6:15 p. m.—Ridge White.
6:30 p. m.—Victorious Living.
6:45 p. m.—Front Page Drama.
7:00 p. m.—Headline Edition.
7:15 p. m.—Elmer Davis.
7:30 p. m.—Arthur Hale.
7:45 p. m.—Concert Hall.
8:00 p. m.—Lum & Abner.
8:15 p. m.—Singing Sam.
8:30 p. m.—Melody Magic.
8:45 p. m.—Burl Ives.
9:00 p. m.—Top Tunes.
9:15 p. m.—Wings of Melody.
9:30 p. m.—Rex Maupin's Show.
10:00 p. m.—Modern Music.
10:30 p. m.—Concert Hall.
11:00 p. m.—News.

Slot Machine Bills Debated At Md. Hearing

Annapolis, Md., May 5 (AP).—Arguments over legalizing slot machines in three Maryland counties were voiced before Governor Lane today, with their effect on youth catching most of the attention.

Proponents of bills to make the machines legal and subject to a license fee in Charles, Worchester and St. Mary's Counties contended the resulting revenues would put the counties in better financial condition and particularly help their school programs.

Those against the proposition argued that gambling was morally wrong and that school children should not be exposed to it.

The Governor told witnesses at each of the three hearings that although the bills were local in nature, they had a State-wide aspect and would have to be considered in the way they fit in a State pattern of gambling regulation.

Many From St. Mary's

Delegations from St. Mary's County packed the House chamber. R. H. Pembroke of Park Hill, vice president of the County Citizens' Association, led the opposition, while Roland Duke of Leonardtown, president of the County Businessmen's Association, introduced proponents.

Rev. Richard School of Lexington Park declared that "real law enforcement has never been tried" in dealing with slot machines, and John H. T. Briscoe, Leonardtown attorney, said that one of two bills aimed at licensing the machines would make "gambling a political issue."

About one-quarter of the slot machines in the State are located in St. Mary's County, Duke said, and license revenues would produce needed county funds.

State Senator Paul J. Bailey and Delegate O. R. Guyther were on hand to endorse the bills.

At the Worcester County hearing, G. Hale Harrison of Berlin asserted opposition came "from the church and the underworld, strangely joining hands to kill a bill giving ouor children schools and helping us build a hospital."

'Fixtures' for 18 Years

Jack Culver, Snow Hill newspaper editor, said machines had been taxed by the county as "fixtures" for 18 years, making them legal and charging fees for their operation would "bust up the rackets and help the schools," he added.

The Federal Government, with a $100 tax, collected $46,200 from the county last year, Culver reported. The prosoped county license fee would be $200 under the bill introduced by Delegate E. Peter Richardson.

Rev. George Pigueron, jr., of Pocomoke, attacked using gambling revenue for either schools and hospitals. He and former Senator Milton Veasey called for vigorous enforcement of laws against operating slot machines.

Veasey said the county was in sound financial condition and did not have to "resort to gambling measures to take care of our schools."

Speaking for the Charles County bill, State Senator James B. Monroe predicted it would earn up to $30,000 in new revenue which could make possible a 20-cent saving in the tax rate.

Body Found on Tracks

Cumberland, Md., May 5 (AP).—The decapitated bady of Francis James Boso, 31, of Davson, Md., was found along the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad tracks near Fairgo today. State Trooper Harry Holsinger said Bobo was killed during the night and expressed the view that he apparently fell from a freight train.

Wins by Nine Votes

Keedysville, Md., May 5 (AP). Mayor Charles K. Taylor was reelected for another one-year term today—by nine votes. Nine citizens turned out to vote.

Maryland News

New City Recreation Director Resigns A Few Minutes After Taking Position

Cumberland, Md., May 5 (AP).—Charles L. Taylor arrived here today from Ann Arbor, Mich., to become Cumberland's recreation director but resigned a few minutes after taking office because of what he called an "impossible" situation.

Taylor announced his resignation shortly after Mayor Thomas S. Post and the city council approved his appointment at the $4,500-a-year job.

Taylor would have had to work in close cooperation with the commissioner of streets and public property, Myers G. Light, who opposed his appointment.

Four of the seven members on the recreation board, which recommended Taylor, said they would resign.

Dairy Prices Drop

Cumberland, Md., May 5 (AP).—The price of milk dropped one cent a quart today in Cumberland and similiar reductions went into effect for other dairy products, according to Edgar A. Dashiel, secretary-treasurer of the Dairy Service Corp. . . .

Today's reduction is the first break in the price since it was upped three cents a quart to 19 cents last July.

City Plant's Net Rises

Hagerstown, Md., May 5 (AP). The Municipal Electric Light plant returned a net profit last year of $341,422 to the city, the city treasurer's office reported today. Gross income of the plant was $729,127, an increase of $39,198 over 1945.

Lane Counsel Files Plea

Annapolis, Md., May 5 (AP).—Counsel for Governor Lane and two other state officials called to testify concerning the legality of the new Maryland sales tax petitioned the Superior Court today to preview their appearance.

The officials contended their proposed testimony could not in any way prove the validity or invalidity of the levy and that it would be a hardship to make them testify.

Hyman A. Pressman, Baltimore attorney, had called for their pretrial testimony after filing proceedings contending passage of the sales tax law by the 1947 legislature was coerced by Lane.

Attorney General Hall Hammond, who is counsel for Lane, Louis J. O'Donnell, the Governor's assistant, and John B. Funk, secretary of state, said since the law was passed constitutionally, it could not be contradicted by verbal testimony.

Group to Study Fever

Baltimore, May 5 (AP).—Dr. Francis F. Schwentker, professor of pediatrics at Johns Hopkins Hospital, announced today the formation of an association for the study of rheumatic fever conditions in Marylamd.

He said the new Maryland Rheumatic Fever Association will meet tomorrow night to elect trustees and directors.

He outlined the following purpose of the group:

To carry on a continuing survey of the disease and existing facilities for its care, to act as -co-ordinating body for facilities and funds, and to supply information and advice to interested organizations.

Tax Receipts Surge

Baltimore, May 5 (AP).—State income taxes as of April 30 were 467 per cent above those of the same date last year, Poseph O'C. McCusker, chief deputy comptroller, said today. Total receipts to date amount to $5,159,057, as compared to $3,087,635 on the 1945 returns, he said.

Pritzker Heads D. A. V.

Baltimore, May 5 (AP).—William Pritzker, Baltimore World War I veteran, has been elected State Commander of the Maryland Chapter, Disabled American Veterans. He succeeds David R. Wolverton of Chevy Chase, who was named judge advocate.

Benefit Dinner Set

Baltimore, May 5 (AP).—Bing Crosby, Walter Winchell and Al Jolson will be guests of honor at a dinner Wednesday, given by the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association of Maryland, to raise cancer and infantile paralysis funds.

A fund-raising feature will be the auctioning of stud services of famous race horses, including Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney's "Step 'n Fetchit."

Every track in Maryland has taken a table for the dinner.

Proceeds will be divided between the Damon Runyon cancer fund and the Maryland chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Beauty Contest Slated

Cumberland, Md., May 5 (AP).—"Miss Maryland of 1947" will be named at a state-wide contest here August 15, David Kauffman, president of the local Junior Association of Commerce, said today.

He said "Miss Cumberland" will be chosen in a contest within the next six weeks.

Plans for the state eliminations will be made at the State Jaycee Convention here May 16-18.

Benjamin to Speak

La Plata, Md., May 5.—Dr. Harold Benjamin, dean of the School of Education of the University of Maryland, will address the annual meeting of the La Plata, PTA on Friday at 8 p. m. His topic will be on "The Place of Mothers in Foreign Countries in the Education of Their Children."

Grand Jury Recalled

Cambridge, Md., May 5 (AP).—Chief Judge W. Laird Henry of the Dorchester County Circuit Court recalled the April grand jury today for May 14 to consider the case of a 22-year-old Negro charged with raping a white woman of the same age Saturday.

State's Attorney Calvin Harrington, jr., said the farmhand is being held in the Dorchester County Jail on a charge of breaking into a house at Ellwood, 31 miles northeast of here, dragging the woman to a nearby creek and attacking her.

D. C. Scout Honored

Frederick, Md., May 5.—Overcoming such physical handicaps as impaired hearing and a deformed foot, Robert Alton Duley, 21, of 3507 24th st. ne., Washington, was recently made an Eagle Scout, highest rank in the Boy Scouts of America organization.

Duley

Duley, who now is employed as a linotype operator at a Washington printing plant, received the award at the Maryland State School for the Deaf here, which he formerly attended as a student. The presentation was made by Dr. Ignatius Bjorlee, school superintendent.

New Road to Open Soon

Frederick, Md., May 5.—The new highway between Frederick and Hagerstown is expected to be opened to through traffic within the next two weeks, it was announced today by the C. J. Langenfelder Co., contractor. Barring unforeseen difficulties the project will be completed more than a month ahead of schedule. The highway, first lane of a proposed dual road, shortens the distance between the two Western Maryland cities by approximately four miles and eliminates a number of driving hazards on the present route.

Baby Boom in Hospital

Hagerstown, Md., May 5 (AP). Washington County Hospital today reported a baby boom. There were 134 babies born at the hospital in April, more than half again as many as the 82 born in April, 1946, the hospital said. Male babies outnumbered the females by eight.

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Livestock and Produce

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., May 5 (AP) (USDA).—(Prices represent sales on wholesale market.)

WHITE POTATOES—Receipts fairly light. Market firm. U. S. No. 1, Maine and New York, 200-lb. sacks, 4.00@4.50; Idaho, 4.50@4.75; Florida and Texas, new, 50-lb. sacks, 3.00@3.50.

SWEET POTATOES—Receipts moderate. Receipts steady. Bushel baskets, Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, 2.00@3.00.

LETTUCE—Receipts moderate. Market firm. California, 4-5 dozen crates, 6.50@7.00.

CABBAGE—Receipts fairly heavy. Market about steady. 50-lb. sacks, Florida and Texas, green, 1.50@1.75, some poor quality lower.

APPLES—Supplies light. Market steady. Bushel baskets, U. S. No. 1, 2½ in. up, Virginia Winesaps, 4.00@4.50.

EGGS—Receipts moderate. Market about steady. Whites and browns (candled and graded), U. S. Grade A, large, 47@50 dozen; U. S. Grade A, medium, 42@44 dozen; U. S. Grade B, large, 40@42 dozen; U. S. Grade C, 37@39 dozen. Farm graded henmery whites and browns, 50 lbs. and up, whites, 48 dozen; browns, 47 dozen. Nearby ungraded current receipts, 55 lbs. and up, 36@38 dozen.

LIVE POULTRY—Receipts moderate. Market not fully established. Quotable steady. Colored broilers and fryers, around 3 lbs. and under, mostly 32 pound. Colored fowl, 28@30; Leghorns, 21@22 pound; old roosters, 13@15 pound.

HOGS—Market 1.00 higher than Friday on all weights. Top 22.00 for good and choice 180-240 pound barrows and gilts, 90-100 lbs., 14.00; 100-120 lbs., 15.00; 120-140 lbs., 17.00; 140-160 lbs., 19.00; 160-180 lbs., 21.00; 240-300 lbs., 21.00; 300 lbs. and up, 19.50. Good sows, under 350 lbs., 16.00; 350-500 lbs., 15.50; over 500 lbs., 15.00; good stags, 13.00.

CATTLE—Receipts largely slaughter steers. Early sales generally steady with bulk of good grade 20.00@22.00, odd-head strictly good to choice higher. Hardly enough done on cows to make a market; canners and cutters quotable 9.00@11.00; fat dairy type, 12.00@14.00; good beef type, 15.00@16.00. Vealers steady with close of last week, mostly 22.50 down, top 23.00 for choice.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, May 5 (AP) (USDA).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 8500; total, 7000; market active, 1.00 to 1.50 higher than Friday's average with most advance on weights over 240 pounds; sows 50 to 75 cents higher; top, 24.50; bulk good and choice 170-260 lbs., 23.75@24.50; 270-390 lbs., 22.25@23.75; 200-330 lbs., 20.75@22.00; most good and choice sows, 18.25@19.00.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts 14,000, total 14,000; salable calves 1500, total 1500; active; slaughter steers and yearlings strong to mostly 25 cents higher; spots 50 cents up; heifers mostly 25 higher; cows strong to 25 cents higher; bulls fully steady; three loads choice 1200-1250 lb. steers topped at 26.50; load lots good to choice steers, 25.50@26.25; bulk medium to top-good yearlings and steers, 20.50@24.75; load choice 1000-lb. fed heifers, 24.40; few good beef cows, 17.50@19.00; bulk beef cows, 14.00@16.50; canners and cutters, 10.50@13.50; good weighty bulls, 17.00@17.25; good and choice vealers, 23.00@25.00.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 2500; total, 3500; slow; two doubles good and choice fed wooled Colorados scaling under 100 lbs., steady at 23.50; much of wooled lamb supplies medium and good grade held at steady prices; three doubles good and choice 101-lb. fed clipped lambs with No. 2 pelts 40 cents higher at 21.65; slaughter ewes scarce, held above 10.50.

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, May 5 (AP), (USDA)—CATTLE—Receipts, 1100; 300 holdovers not included; total salable, 1400; largely steer run with grade steers predominating; general trade slow on all classes; slaughter steers weak to 25 lower than close last week; she stock and bulls steady to weak; stockers and feeders slow, few early sales fully steady but bulk supply unsold; few loads and lots 950-1135 lbs. top good and choice fed steers, 23.50@24.50, odd head 25.00; odd head lots strictly choice, 26.00@27.00; medium to average good short feds, 20.00@23.00; medium and good heifers, 15.50@22.50; odd head lots good young heifer-type beef cows, 13.00@18.50; bulk common and medium cows of dairy breeding largely 13.50@15.50; top medium cows to 17.50; canners and cutters, 10.00@13.00, shelly canners at the first figure; good beef bulls absent; medium and good weighty sausage bulls, 16.00@17.50, mostly 17.00 down; light and medium weights, 13.00@15.50; few small lots choice 670-790 lbs. feeder steers, 22.50@23.00.

CALVES—Receipts, 450; slow, steady with close last week, but not all interest following market; mixed lots good and choice 150-220 lbs. vealers largely 22.00@28.00; strictly choice, 27.00; common and medium, 10.00@17.00; bulk down to 7.00; underweights as low as 5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 1500; active, 75 cents higher than close last week on all classes; practical top 24.75; good and choice 120-140 lbs., 21.50@21.75; 140-160 lbs., 22.75@23.00; 160-220 lbs., 24.50@24.75; 220-250 lbs., 24.25@24.50; 250-275 lbs., 22.75@23.00; 275-300 lbs., 21.75@22.00; 300-350 lbs., 20.75@21.00; 350 lbs. up, 19.75@20.00; good and choice sows, 17.75@18.00, with heavy sows selling considerably lower.

SHEEP—Receipts, 50. Not enough slaughter lambs and slaughter ewes to make a market; inquiry broad and undertone steady; good and choice spring lambs, 26.00 down; comparable slaughter ewes 9.00 down.

POULTRY—Market easier. Receipts light. Demand light. Roasters, too few sales to establish values. Fryers and broilers, 32. Fowl, colored, 25; Leghorns supplies insufficient to quote.

ELMO

SEVENTY-EIGHTY-NINETY WOW!
I'M SHORT $10,000 MORE TODAY
GOODNESS! THAT MAKES $30,000
OH, OH!
AT THE ROASTIE OATSIE OFFICE
LARJE CHARGE. OUR SPY AT THE PORNUT SKRUMMY COMPANY IS ON THE PHONE, SIR
HELLO, CHIEF, THEY'RE LOSING $10,000 A DAY HERE SINCE I MOVED IN ON THIS OPERATION
GOOD WORK, MR. CHARGE

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY

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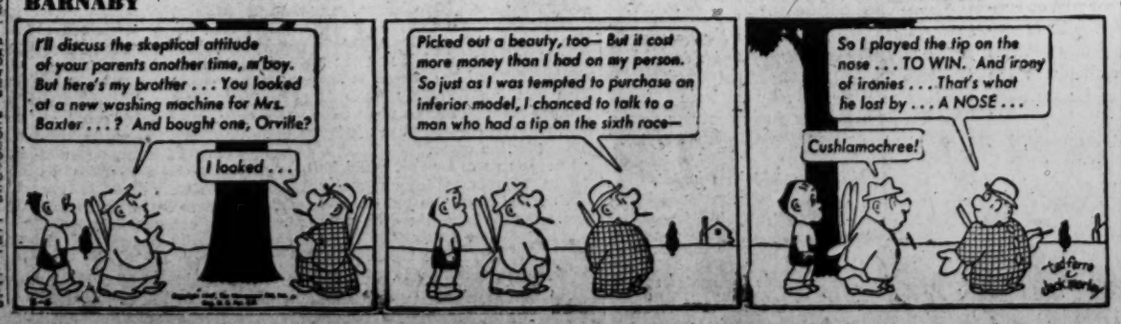
I'll discuss the skeptical attitude of your parents another time, m'boy. But here's my brother . . . You looked at a new washing machine for Mrs. Baxter . . . ? And bought one, Orville?
I looked . . .
Picked out a beauty, too— But it cost more money than I had on my person. So just as I was tempted to purchase an inferior model, I chanced to talk to a man who had a tip on the sixth race—
So I played the tip on the nose . . . TO WIN. And irony of ironies . . . That's what he lost by . . . A NOSE . . .
Cushlamochree!

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Montgomery Charter

Our neighbors in Montgomery County are once more confronted by the issue of a home-rule charter. Some weeks ago the preliminary draft of the proposed charter was released by the five-man charter board elected last year. Now the board has accepted a number of suggested changes and sent its draft to the County Commissioners. No doubt the proposed charter will be subject to much discission before the voters pass final judgment upon the question of rejecting it in the 1048 election.

For this reason thoughtful citizens may well reserve judgment at present. Nevertheless, it seems to us that Chairman Nornam B. Ames and his colleagues of the charter board are to be commended on several aspects of their handiwork. Instead of trying to write on a wholly new slate, they gave extensive consideration to the home-rule charter that was prepared four years ago and rejected in 1944. The new charter retains the council-manager form of government proposed by the old one. At the same time notable changes have been made. The board attempted to eliminate the objections which led to the previous defeat. One of these was that the old charter had no provision for compensation of the proposed councilmen. The present charter reduces the number of councilmen from nine to seven and provides for paying them $20 for each meeting they attend up to a maximum of $1800 a year. Members of the personnel board would also be paid. To meet another criticism the number of major departments has been reduced to three, although the council could create new departments if that should be found desirable.

The board also made a good impression by adopting six changes in the preliminary draft at the suggestion of citizens. One of the most important of these suggestions came from Col. E. Brooke Lee, who has been a vigorous opponent of the charter movement. It would extend from 5 to 15 days the period during which certain acts of the council might be subject to public discussion before becoming effective. Apparently the board was guided by a broad spirit of accommodation, without sacrificing any basic principle of efficient local government. That attitude augurs well for the success of the charter if it is approved by the citizens.

Tax Inequity

The Lucas bill offered as a substitute for the tax reduction measure passed by the House includes a provision that would permit married people in all the States to divide their total income on a 50-50 basis, as is now done by couples living in nine community property States. The existing system is grossly inequitable, violating the principle of uniformity in taxation which is the aim of our Federal tax laws. For whenever the combined surtax net income of a married couple exceeds $2000, the 50-50 automatic division of income for tax purposes in community property States reduces the amount of surtax payments. Randolph E. Paul in his book on *Taxation for Prosperity* points out that a married man without dependents earning $10,000 pays an income tax of $2185 in the common law States, whereas a man similarly situated with the same income would pay only $1843 in a community property State. At a $30,000 income level the income taxpayer in a community property State would have a much greater advantage, as he would pay $3400 less than the resident of a common law State.

The need for remedial action to eliminate such inequalities has long been recognized. The question is how best to achieve equality of treatment under the law. It could be brought about either by extending the tax privileges enjoyed by the married residents of community property States to the rest of the country, as Senator Lucas proposes, or by making joint income tax returns by husband and wife mandatory in all the States, as the Treasury vainly urged a few years ago. In our opinion the latter proposal would be a much better, fairer method of resolving the difficulty. For it recognizes the fact that the family income really measures the tax-paying ability of married people. It would not deprive married women of any of their property rights, or of control over their earnings, as has been charged. In short, it does nothing except to establish a method of measuring taxable ability that seems to us quite in accordance with American views of the position of the family in our society. Nor do we believe that there are any insurmountable constitutional objections to compulsory joint returns.

The Lucas method of arriving at equality of tax treatment would, in our opinion, be much less desirable. Not only would it result in considerable loss of revenue, but it would provide most tax relief in the high income brackets to a favored few. The chief argument in its behalf is that the proposal stands a much better chance of being acceptable to Congress, and is much less likely to arouse the hostility of an uninformed public that has been led to believe that mandatory joint returns would disrupt families, encourage divorce, and deal a blow to the rights of women.

Mr. Truman's Dilemma

President Truman could not be unaware of the political dangers that lurk in the omnibus labor bill that Congress will soon dump into his lap. If he signs it, labor is likely to consign him to the political doghouse. If he does not, says Senator Byrd, "the people will think—and properly so—that the only way they can get labor legislation is to elect a Republican President." It is by no means improbable that the President's political future will be determined in large measure by the outcome of the controversy over labor legislation.

Senators Hatch and Taft are undoubtedly right in saying that a labor bill veto would "cut both ways politically." The Republican Congress will lose prestige if it passes a labor reform bill so drastic that the President will feel compelled to reject it. But if Congress should fail to pass the bill over a veto, we are inclined to think that the veto would remain more prominently in the public mind than the drastic provisions of the bill about which there is so much controversy and confusion. The President would have to take responsibility for blocking every major labor reform bill that the Republicans have sponsored. If strikes and other abuses should continue on a large scale, that would be a pretty big handicap to carry into any presidential campaign.

We do not emphasize this point because of any idea that action on labor legislation ought to be guided by political motives. Far from it. But in this instance it seems to us that the national welfare and the political future of Mr. Harry Truman are bound pretty closely together. Both call for the enactment of a rationally corrective, but not punitive, labor bill. Conversely, all indications seem to point to the conclusion that failure to get such a measure on the statute books will involve gross misfortune for the country and for Mr. Truman.

In the face of this situation the President is "playing it quiet." But silence cannot relieve him of the approaching dilemma. As we see it, the one hope for Mr. Truman to avoid being caught between the devil and the deep sea is for him to call congressional leaders of both parties to the White House, explain the situation in terms of the national welfare, indicate his willingness to compromise, and then seek agreement on a measure that could become law. Of course, no one could guarantee that the conference would be successful. With the House bill already passed and the Senate bill under debate on the floor, it is very late to be seeking a meeting of the legislative and executive minds.

But even belated discussion would be better than none. And, incidentally, Mr. Truman would find himself in a far better position to veto the bill, should he consider that necessary, if he had first made a determined effort to bring about a reasonable compromise. This is the kind of issue on which a negative policy will be as hurtful for the President as for country.

Telling Our Story

Secretary Marshall's conference with congressional leaders should have left no doubt as to how important he considers continuation of the "Voice of America" programs. Secretary Marshall has had first-hand experience with the distorted impressions of the United States cultivated by those who depreciate our way of life. The Secretary is a man who has no patience with idle effort. His remedy for inadequate propaganda is more propaganda. He recommends that the "Voice of America" broadcasts be continued and intensified, and he does this in the realization that these programs are our principal weapon in the world battle of ideas. If we expect to win this battle, we should be doing everything possible to see that the world knows the truth. For Congress to follow the lead of the House Appropriations Subcommittee in denying funds for the broadcasts would be to throw in the towel and admit that we're licked.

The objection that the broadcasts are propaganda and therefore unsuitable for Government supervision, could be met in some degree by adoption of the proposal by the State Department to remove the programs from official State Department control. The bill would establish an International Broadcast Foundation. This would be administered by a board of trustees consisting of 13 "distinguished private citizens," with the Secretary of State serving in an advisory capacity as the fourteenth member. Funds for the foundation, at least in the beginning, would have to come from the Government, but the fact that private citizens were represented would eliminate some of the stigma in congressional minds of Government control.

The advantage of such an operation is that it would place on private broadcasting outlets much of the responsibility for seeing that people in other countries get a balanced view of the United States. This would remove the broadcasts from the political arena. At the same time, the State Department would have a check to insure that the national interest was being served. This sort of direction should make possible the maximum degree of coordination in use of our short-wave facilities. Obviously private outlets now are not in a position to bear the cost of an adequate program themselves. One reason we do not have more short-wave broadcasting is that it is not, as now constituted, a profitable commercial enterprise. But through a combined operation there is a good chance that ultimately sales of radio time and support by private foundations would lessen the cost to the Government.

As we embark on our plan to counter aggression and bolster free governments, it is of crucial importance that our motives be understood. Our detractors have long since started a campaign of misrepresentation. Their efforts are bound to take effect unless we make ourselves heard. If democracy is to survive as the goal of millions of people throughout the world, it cannot afford to keep silent while the totalitarians are broadening their attempts to villify it. We are heartily in favor of Mr. Marshall's plan. It is of a piece with a foreign policy of affirmation and reconstruction which is the only one that can save our stricken world from degenerating into chaos.

Latin Sisters

An article appearing in the April *Federal Reserve Bulletin* on "France and Italy: Patterns of Reconstruction" is a timely reminder that both countries will continue to be dependent upon outside financial aid in 1947 "to meet minimum requirements for food, raw material and industrial equipment," although the amount needed will probably not be as great as in 1946. Last year France paid for only a fifth of her imports with the proceeds of exports. She obtained about a billion dollars of the funds required to finance her import surpluses by sales of her gold and foreign assets. In addition, foreign aid in the form of grants, loans and other credits amounting to 1.3 billion dollars was forthcoming. The United States contributed 1.2 billion dollars of that total, including our share in UNRRA aid, pipe line lend-lease credits, surplus property credits, and Export-Import Bank loans. In case of Italy, foreign contributions totaled 894 million dollars, and our share of that total was 720 million dollars. Although Italy's exports expanded markedly and paid for almost half her imports, the total amount of imports had to be severely curtailed, the country being largely dependent on UNRRA and foreign donations to provide for excess imports.

While France and Italy have made considerable progress in the direction of economic recovery since the war, both countries are severely handicapped by budgetary deficits which add constantly to inflationary pressures on living costs. Industrial rehabilitation is also retarded by coal shortages. Indeed, coal "still is the major bottleneck of production in both France and Italy." France is also suffering from a manpower shortage in basic industries, due chiefly to a shift of workers into government employment and the distributive trades. Italy, on the other hand, is afflicted by a serious unemployment problem.

Relatively large food imports will be required during the next few years, it is believed, by both France and Italy, despite the fact that last year's wheat harvest showed a great improvement over 1945. And both countries, of course, need all sorts of imported raw materials and industrial equipment to speed the work of rehabilitation. At the beginning of 1947 France still had available for use most of a 650 million dollar Export-Import Bank credit, and some foreign credits from other countries. She has also applied for a half billion dollar loan from the World Bank. Liquidation of gold and foreign assets will provide additional funds, although these reserves have been greatly depleted. Italy, too, possesses some sterling balances, part of which may be converted into dollars. She also recently acquired about 100 million dollars to reimburse her for United States military expenditures in lire. Unused UNRRA funds and post-UNRRA relief outlays from the appropriation now under consideration by Congress, as well as an advance from the Export-Import Bank, and possibly a loan from the World Bank would enable Italy to finance her import program.

It is plain, however, that France and Italy are still living a hand-to-mouth existence, compelled to go deeper into debt to foreign countries in order to make themselves ultimately self-sustaining. France has emerged from the relief stage of assistance. Italy will soon have left it behind her, but constructive loans to develop domestic industry will be needed for the indefinite future. Indirectly, if not directly, most of those funds will have to be supplied by the United States.

THE BANYAN TREE

The tree that casts its heart upon the ground
and draws it up again in wood veils growing
is mind for kinship's sake, and for a knowing,
of green and myriad pulses driven round.

Planting itself so far, so manifold
all winters, summers, are as one day's reaping
it has outgrown its dying in the leaping
of earthward airy roots, of shoots to hold

in tender shadow, till they reach the hot,
the heavenly roof, the single flowering crown.
Death has like rain flowed many leafyears
down
and risen in the stems, and been forgot.

Some trees are memory's lovely afterseed,
some blow through dreams hung with the hair
of gods.
I choose the vastest trunk, the rooted rods
for kindred lasting in this midday's need.

INGEBORG KAYKO

Letters To The Editor

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Daylight Saving Time

In contrast to daylight saving time, the standard time schedule could with correctness be styled daylight losing.

In the latitude of Washington the daily duration during the year of daylight (that is, of sunlight, the time elapsing between the rising and the setting of the sun) ranges from about 15 hours around June 22 to 9½ hours at December 22. As summer proceeds, the maximum of 15 hours of daily sunlight in June diminishes to 12 hours at the time of the equinox (equal day and night) in the latter part of September.

It would seem sensible that the full period of 12 to 15 hours of summer sunlight should be utilized for the major daily activities. Lying in bed an extra hour during the morning sunlight means the loss or waste of an hour of useful daylight. This will have to be compensated for by resort to artificial illumination for an extra hour in the evening. The daylight saving schedule would require some two hours of artificial evening illumination, from about 8 to 10 p. m.; under daylight losing time, about three hours would be required, from 7 to 10 o'clock.

This has a financial aspect. The duration and hence the cost of artificial lighting will be 50 per cent greater under standard time than under daylight saving time. If persons will compare their electric lighting bills for the summer of 1946, when this locality was on standard time, with those for 1945, when saving time was in force, they will find that there was a substantial increase in 1946.

Daylight saving of course is not applicable in the winter season, when the short daily period of sunshine will in any event require artificial illumination at both ends of the day. J. B. N.

Washington.

Daylight saving might be very practical if put into operation "in reverse:" in winter when there is sufficient cool atmosphere to permit sleep at anytime and not enough daylight to permit all the necessary activities instead of summer when there is an abundance of daylight and a scarcity of sleeping temperature.

This subject is too far-reaching to be decided by the number of people who could get into any auditorium in the city. Why not authorize the newspapers to print ballot forms on an inside page and invite every one interested, either way, to vote and send in a ballot. This is an issue on which the most hardened opponent of District suffrage would have to admit that a vote was the only just solution. JUSTICIA.

Washington.

Loyalty Test

I am a Federal employe and am anxious to know before my quiz time comes, what I am to say and do. As the issue is communism, I would like for some one to explain to me and millions of other Americans just what the term implies. nine tenths of the American people don't know what it means, including Mr. John Rankin and Mr. Fulton Lewis, jr. What they are stressing as communism, the Constitution of the United States describes as democracy, and that of course is very confusing to us who know nothing about communism and perhaps care less.

After defining the term, I would like to know the method of judging. If you are asked if you are a Communist and the answer is No, then you are definitely one. If you say nothing, silence gives consent and you certainly can't judge a book by the cover.

There is an order that could be enforced that comes from a greater power than man, "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you." We can't outdo Him. He's Supreme. Remember the fates of Belshazzar and Hitler? It behooves all of us to straighten up and fly right.

When the Order 9835 or whatever it is becomes law, will the Constitution of the United States be placed in the Archives?

MATTIE MAE THURSTON.

Washington.

Right to Emigrate

The refusal of the Soviet government to grant exit visas to some 1100 Russian wives of United States citizens, as well as to Russian brides of British citizens, is a gross violation of one of the most important human rights to emigration and to expatriation.

The United States, in the Act of July 27, 1868 proclaimed that "The right of expatriation is a natural and inherent right of all people, indispensable to the enjoyment of the rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness . . . Any declaration, instruction, opinion, order or decision of any officer of the United States which denies, restricts, impairs or questions the right of expatriation is declared inconsistent with the fundamental principles of the Republic" (U. S. Rev. Stat., Sec. 1999.)

Consequently the conflict over the recognition of this fundamental human right must be brought to the attention of the United Nations. If the Soviet delegation uses its "veto" power the United States and other nations should remonstrate in a most spectacular way by recalling their ambassadors, etc.

The United Nations must proclaim a universal recognition of the fundamental human rights to emigration and to expatriation.

P. HAENSEL.

Fredericksburg, Va.

Greek Preference

Sumner Welles, in his column of April 30, argues that there is great reason to fear that American preference for democracy will lead us to force our ideas on countries where they are not welcome—and that this is a good way to lose friends and alienate supporters. He is, of course, 100 per cent right.

But, in striving to avoid Scylla, he seems to have fogotten Charybdis. There is another good way to lose friends and alienate supporters. It is a commonplace of history that great nations uphold and support unpopular governments in smaller nations, within their sphere of influence, for the sake of temporary stability, order and peace. Mr. Welles must surely know that it has often been suspected that in some Latin-American countries tyrants would have been overthrown quickly except for the belief that they were being backed up by the Colossus of the North. And he must be familiar with the allegations that Russia has made some neighboring states accept rulers whom the great majority of the people hate.

What if Paul and the monarchy were similarly forced on Greece by Churchill and his associates? This is a problem which surely cannot be decided without careful study. Concretely, it would seem wise therefore to employ competent social scientists and investigators to study the feelings of the Greek people.

Then, within the limits of what the security of the Western powers permits, we would be wise if they want Paul as king to cooperate with him and his government, and forget our traditional preference for republics. But if, on the contrary, as many claim, they hate Paul and all he stands for, then no American belief in "letting sleeping dogs lie" should deprive the Greeks of the right to set up a government of their own choosing—if, with Mr. Welles, we really want Greek cooperation and support. LEWIS A. DEXTER.

Jacksonville Beach, Fla.

Economic Recovery For Europe

Lippmann most cogently, as usual, presents the problem of saving Europe from imminent economic and social disaster. He advises the European governments to meet and to agree on a unification of Europe on the basis of a common program of production and exchange. A good plan indeed! But there are some observations to be made.

In 1930, in Geneva, the late Aristide Briand also proposed a plan for the unification of Europe, a good plan, too. Incidentally, I was present at the historical meeting as member of the Latvian delegation. All territorially small European states in principle agreed. But under various pretexts Germany was evasive, because the Germans had their own plan for "unification" of Europe.

Today there is a similar situation. But today there are both small and big states adverse to a European union. The socialistic-communistic governments of the European key states, which came to power thanks to appeasement of the leftist resistance movements will probably not agree to the unification of Europe without their master, the USSR. On the other hand the ruling Politbureau of the USSR is not at all interested in saving bourgeois Europe from the "imminent social revolution," which they even expect to explode in the United States.

Moreover, one hardly could anticipate that Socialists would agree to reintroduce in Europe capitalistic methods—even to save Europe from economic disaster. However, the fact is that only capitalistic methods can save Europe. I am sure that the majority of the European people are of the same opinion and believe in the old-fashioned capitalism regulated by parliamentary social legislation. Even in Great Britain the combined non-Labor vote was 13 million against the 12 million Labor votes.

Therefore, prior to granting financial aid to European leftist governments, one should exact an assurance that new free and unfettered elections will be held everywhere in Europe under the slogan "Economic recovery of a free and united democratic Europe."

The oppressed European people, I am sure, look forward primarily to the liberation from the imposed leftist tutelage and social-economic experimentation. Two years of peace—and no progress!

Such liberation would be of far greater value to the downtrodden, frightened common farmer, middle class man, also small business man than substantial financial aid given the leftist experimentators. This money, like that given in the past, will also disappear in the bottomless pits of Sisyphus, called budgets, handled by amateurish self-styled "progressive" financers and economists, who know how to spend and tax, but don't know how hard it is to earn.

The time is come to try to do things in Europe and elsewhere in the world without the obligatory participation of the USSR. It is quite clear that the Politbureau will never renounce from the policy of fostering everywhere the "social revolution." That is why the USSR did not participate in the World Monetary Fund and other similar undertakings. There will be no cooperation of the USSR in reconstructing Europe economically; that would prove the bankruptcy of the policy of the Politbureau.

The heart of the difficulty is how to dissipate the leftist spell and see things clearly how they are.

DR. ALFRED BILMANIS,
Latvian Minister.

Washington.

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Politics And Labor

THE CLOUD on Mr. Truman's springtime horizon is the labor bill which is shaping up in Congress. At the moment it has a dark and threatening look, as though it might be charged with political thunder and lightning of the most perilous sort.

Those in Congress who oppose a "strengthened" Senate bill are using the argument that the President will certainly veto a measure which goes beyond the moderate reforms he seeks. Within the President's inner council, however, a quite different viewpoint has been urged by at least one adviser.

That viewpoint is as follows: In the very nature of the political squeeze play being put on the White House, the President must sign almost any bill which comes to him from Capitol Hill. If he vetoes an omnibus bill because it contains provisions he believes are too harsh, and as a consequence no legislation is adopted, then the Republicans will put the blame for this failure on the Chief Executive. It will become the principal issue of the 1948 campaign.

The timing is of the utmost importance. A labor bill will probably reach the President's desk before June 30. In short, the President will have to make his decision before the date on which John L. Lewis is expected to call a Nation-wide coal strike.

White House strategists readily foresee the consequences of a veto. Since the mines would be back in the hands of the private owners, the Government would not have the power it exercised last winter to stop the strike by injunction. That injunction was obtained on the ground that the strike was against the Government, since the mines were being operated by the Department of the Interior.

WITH NO means to stop him, the Government might sit for weeks while the obdurate Lewis kept the mines closed down. This grim picture needs little amplification. In time, steel plants would also close and once again we would have the spectacle of the Nation's industry slowed to a standstill at the behest of one man.

The clamor that would arise in the country can easily be imagined. The Republicans would be in a splendid position to point the finger of blame at the Democratic President who had vetoed the labor bill. To put it mildly, Mr. Truman would be on an extremely embarrassing spot.

All this has been pointed out, and more, too. The President has been told that he could sign the bill and issue an accompanying statement which would make it clear that he had done so sorrowfully and reluctantly because the Congress had given him no other choice; that without the power to veto individual items he was compelled to take the good with the bad. Such a message would not be difficult to draft since it would have a lot of logic behind it.

OF COURSE, no final decision has been taken in the White House, nor is one likely to be taken before the bill is passed. It will of necessity be given the closest study before any irrevocable step is taken.

Politics in this business of correcting labor legislation was probably inevitable. But it will hardly contribute to industrial peace if the campaign of 1948 is centered on charges and countercharges over labor.

That, however, is the prospect. Among Democratic advisers are those who point out that the political power of organized labor is on the wane in any event. Furthermore, it is argued that the chief business of blame would not fall on the President if he made it clear that he was acting with great reluctance in the face of a compelling necessity.

At one point the Republicans believed they would be able to make effective use next year of the communism charge against the Truman Administration. A series of full-dress hearings had been scheduled before the House Un-American Committee to show Communist influence in the Federal Government. The President's loyalty order tended to nullify that maneuver. It would be difficult to pin the Communist tag on the author of the Truman Doctrine.

So perhaps "labor"—the labor monopoly, union bosses, uncurbed union powers—will have to substitute for communism. It is not a cheerful prospect for those who hoped to see an orderly system of voluntary collective bargaining reenforced by moderate reforms.

"Day Care"

The Washington Industrial Union Council, CIO, noted with interest your editorial of May 1, in which was pointed out the fallacy of the arguments of the Commissioners in opposing the continuance of the child care centers.

Any thoughtful citizen realizes the value of the care for the children during the working hours of the mother. The economy-minded Commissioners would do well to work for a reasonable plan for meeting this need for the District. The interest and the importance of the child day care centers was evidenced by the great number of representatives from community, civic, parent-teacher, church and labor organizations testifying at the hearings in favor of the child day care centers.

The Washington CIO was astonished that the report of the hearings in the press gave only the adverse testimony of the Commissioners and did not show the demand of the citizens of the District for the day care centers.

The attitude of the Commissioners in opposing the will of the people further emphasizes the need of suffrage for the District of Columbia. GERTRUDE EVANS.

Executive Secretary, Washington Industrial Union Council.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

The Stassen Interview

STALIN understands very well the difference between an interview and a negotiation. An interview for publication with any very high personage is a privilege. It can be refused. If the privilege is granted, the personage can control the terms and conditions of the interview.

THE Generalissimo did just that with Mr. Stassen, allowing him to choose the topics of the interview, and to ask him a leading question on each, but not to pursue the questioning. Mr. Stassen had to remember that he was the guest, and that if Stalin chose to misunderstand his questions and to give unresponsive answers, he was in no position to conduct a cross-examination.

Had he been in a position to do that, had he been negotiating with Stalin as an American official instead of interviewing Stalin as a private citizen, it is quite evident that Mr. Stassen was as well-equipped as has been any American for a long time to talk a language which Stalin understands. But given the circumstances of the interview, Stalin was able to talk at the crucial questions without answering them.

MR. STASSEN had asked him as an opening question whether the "two economic systems can exist together in the same modern world in harmony with each other?" Stalin replied that they do exist together, that they have existed together, and that the U. S. A. and the USSR "didn't wage war against each other."

But Stalin, of course, knew that what Mr. Stassen was about to ask him was whether the Communist Party, which rules Russia and influences and directs Communist parties elsewhere, could and would permit the non-Communist countries to live "in harmony" with the Soviet Union. This was the question which Mr. Stassen was permitted only to allude to, not to press home to a definite conclusion.

THIS IS NOT an "economic" question. It is a political question. There is no doubt whatever that an exchange of goods is possible, and may be mutually profitable, no matter what are the laws of property. Machine tools, food, oil, coal, copper, rubber, tin, are what they are, whether they are produced under free enterprise, state collectivism, feudalism, slavery, or what not. They can be exchanged, and in that sense all economic systens can, and do, exist together.

But that, as Stalin knows well, and of course Mr. Stassen too, is not the problem which besets the modern world. The problem arises out of the fact that the government of Russia is in the hands of the hierarchy of the Communist Party, which controls all the instruments of government, the vast military potential of Russia, and also a wet work of political parties in continental Europe and elsewhere.

The question is whether Stalin and his lieutenants in the Kremlin will accept a settlement which fixes the limits of the expansion of the Soviet state, and outside those limits no more power for the local Communist parties than they are able to achieve under the rules and customs of ordinary democratic politics.

STALIN WISHED to give the impression that he desires such a settlement, but that he had some doubt whether we desire it. But his answers were quite unresponsive, and indeed evasive. Mr. Stassen came near asking him, but could not quite do it, why after the destruction of the two countries which really threatened the security of Russia, namely Germany and Japan, the Soviet state remains rigidly totalitarian as it was when Russia was in mortal danger. It cannot be because Stalin regards Britain, even Mr. Churchill's Britain, as a serious threat, or that he really believes that the United States is acting on the advice of Messrs. Bullitt and Burnham and the like.

The fact is that though the Soviet constitution of 1936 is a democratic constitution, it has never been permitted to operate. Why? When Russia was threatened by Germany and Japan, she could not risk operating the constitution of 1936. But what prevents her from operating it now? Is it the Churchill speech at Fulton? Is it the atomic bomb? Is it the Truman message? Or is it that the oligarchy which holds power over Russia cannot retain its power if it permits the constitution of 1936 to operate?

THAT APPEARS to be the real reason, and if it is, then we must ask whether Stalin was telling the whole truth, not merely a part of it, when he said that "Russia wants to cooperate." For the question then is: can a ruling oligarchy, which cannot operate its own constitution lest it be overthrown, cooperate lawfully and normally beyond its frontiers? For how could it justify to its own people the rigors and the illegalities of its own conduct at home if it were on good terms with all the leading powers of the outer world? Does not the maintenance of the dictatorship in Russia depend upon maintaining a state of tension and insecurity to justify it?

This is the dilemma which explains, it seems to me, the baffling fact that Stalin is always saying that he wants a settlement and that, with all his transcendent authority, he never produces a settlement. He does not want war. He would like economic cooperation. He would probably, if he could renounce the world revolution if he could settle for security.

But security to him, not merely the security of the Russian patrimony but the security of the Communist Party, and that security, since it depends upon the suppression of Russian freedom, he has been unable to reconcile with genuine peace abroad.

THIS DILEMMA will probably not be resolved by any formula which can be agreed to now in the Council of Foreign Ministers. It may be resolved eventually by events which, as we can see in France at this moment, are beginning to take a new turn.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

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"As was announced at last week's meeting, Madam Olga will continue her talk, 'You too can have a magnetic personality.'"

Farm Prices

By Mark Sullivan

Federal Regulations Prevent Decline

THE PAST week saw continuation of two movements to reduce prices. One was more appeals for lower prices by President Truman. The other was a continuing wave of price reductions in retail stores, sometimes called the "Newburyport Plan," because of publicity attending it in that Massachusetts town. The Newburyport Plan has had some actual effect, and both it and President Truman's appeals have psychological effect. But as agencies for bringing about a real reduction in the whole price level of the country, both these movements are, for different reasons, limited in effect.

Sullivan

President Truman's exhortations for lower prices are diminished in effectiveness by actions of the Government itself. Government is a direct agency in preventing prices from coming down, especially in the immense field of foodstuffs and farm products. Government at this moment is buying potatoes, eggs, and some other farm products for the specific and avowed purpose of preventing the prices from going down. By methods besides direct buying, the Government exercises controls over many other foodstuffs.

GOVERNMENT fixes the price of milk, by what are called Federal marketing orders. At present, Federal orders are in effect in some 29 cities and suburban areas, and the Government has authority to issue them anywhere. Whether the prices thus fixed by the Government ought to be reduced is in controversy among the interests affected. The Government itself has moved toward fixing lower prices in some areas. Some producers claim they could get higher prices for their milk if the Federal order fixing the price were withdrawn.

The consumer is in no doubt, to many the price of milk is cruelly high. Twenty cents a quart, the price in many cities, means to a family with several children as much as a dollar a day for as much milk as children ought to have. A dollar a day is $365 a year, a serious burden to a family whose budget is say $3000 a year.

Farmers are uncomfortable about the high price of milk they sell, but say, with justice, that the cost of producing milk is high, including the cost of feed for cows. Wheat-bran which last year could be bought for $36.50 a ton, has recently risen to $53.50. Wheat-bran comes from wheat and wheat is fantastically high—recently some $3 a bushel, about three times the price over a period of years preceding the war. Another cattle feed, cottonseed meal, was $49.75 a ton last year but is now $77.

SO LONG AS the Government buys some farm products for the direct purpose of preventing reductions in their prices, and makes itself responsible for other prices by fixing them, and as to nearly all farm products has at all times a policy it calls "price support," President Truman's appeals for lower prices of goods and a lower price level generally are diminished in effectiveness. And so far as he focuses his appeals upon prices of manufactured goods, remaining reticent on prices of farm products, his reticence impairs some of the effect of his words.

A strong word from President Truman about prices of farm products, or even better an action, would make his appeal for lower prices in general more convincing. A lower price level in general must mean lower prices on the part of all and for the benefit of all. There was a sign the other day that Mr. Truman is aware of the Achilles heel in his pleas. At a press conference Mr. Truman was asked how he felt about a proposed new governmental action to keep up the price of wool. There was some tartness in his voice and manner as he said he did not favor it.

The Newburyport Plan of reducing prices in retail stores has a limit easily foreseen—unless there can be another Newburyport Plan on the part of manufacturers. After the retailer has sold the goods on his shelves, he must turn to the wholesaler or manufacturer for a new supply. Whether a manufacturer will or can sell at a lower price depends on his costs, and his costs include the recent raises in wages in large industries.

Showdown In France

By Barnet Nover

Europe's Fate In The Balance

THE POLITICAL crisis that has broken out in France is full of ominous possibilities not only for that country but also for Europe and the world.

NOVER

What lies back of that crisis is much more than a difference of opinion over the wage demands of the striking Renault automobile plant workers. That strike merely precipitated a conflict which has been latent in France since her liberation and has now come out into the open.

Hitherto, the Communists as well as the Popular Republicans and the Socialists have operated on the theory that all three parties must share in the responsibilities of government during this critical transition period.

This has involved the corollary that the sharp differences of opinion that exist among the three parties must be suppressed or subordinated in the interests of a united effort. Such a combined effort, it has been felt, was absolutely essential if France were to recover from the war.

THE THREE-PARTY coalition—it became a four-party coalition with the addition of Edouard Herriot's moderate group—has never worked well. It has nonetheless worked after a fashion. It has given France if not an efficient government at least a breathing spell of internal peace and relative freedom from strikes and made possible a certain measure of economic improvement.

Now, for the first time since liberation, the Communist-Socialist-Popular Republican coalition has been broken. When Premier Ramadier asked for a vote of confidence, following the decision of a majority of the cabinet to refuse the wage increase demanded by the Renault workers, the Communists solidly voted in the negative. Their expulsion from the cabinet followed.

The Communists must have anticipated this development. They may even have courted it at this time.

They are now free agents, free to agitate against the government, free to oppose policies which, while part of the cabinet coalition, they had been forced to accept, free to engage in an unrestricted struggle for power.

THEY POSSESS one tremendously powerful weapon—the General Federation of Labor—which after the liberation they succeeded in taking over lock, stock and barrel. How they will use it remains to be seen. But the fact is clear they may use it in such a way as to plunge France into economic chaos.

The threat of their doing so is one which no French leader can ignore and which the Socialists—Premier Ramadier's own party—in particular greatly fear since they would hesitate long before placing themselves in opposition to the trade unions.

Are the French Communists, since liberation the most ardent advocates of industrial peace, now intent on deliberately producing a state of chaos in France? This possibility certainly cannot be ruled out.

In the first place, the Communist leaders, such as Maurice Thorez, Jacques Duclos, Francois Billoux and others have been under severe pressure from the rank and file members of their party to return to a more revolutionary course.

In the second place, this may, in the eyes of the Kremlin (to whom the French Communist leaders owe their primary allegiance), be the moment to demonstrate to France how expensive and anti-Soviet orientation can prove to be.

At Moscow, Foreign Minister Bidault moved a step or two away from Russia, a step toward Great Britain and the United States.

IT IS PROBABLY more than a coincidence that the split in the Ramadier cabinet occurred so soon after the Moscow conference.

Even at the time of the recent Paris newspaper strike the Communists were still at one with the other parties in the government coalition, in opposing wage increases.

The attitude of the government on that issue was expressed on May Day by Premier Ramadier, who warned the workers that France's economic and social security is "linked with the stability of currency."

"A currency crisis," he said, "would precipitate the proletariat into misery by reducing or wrecking the purchasing power of their wages." The most important social reform so far as the working class is concerned, he added, "lies in maintaining the purchasing power of our currency."

The Communists who had accepted that contention all during the period between January and May have now changed their minds. A struggle is thus in the offing which may shake France to her foundations. But this may be precisely what Moscow desires.

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to become a vehicle for a new implementation of the so-called "Truman Doctrine."

The informant said that if the Socialists consent to head an anti-Communist coalition, then Washington may be expected to lend a sympathetic ear to requests for help in maintaining Ramadier's economic policy of freezing wages, holding down prices and increasing production.

French officials said their immediate need was for wheat to maintain the current daily bread ration of 250 grams. America has promised some wheat in June, but the French say larger shipments will be needed.

United States Holds Answer

The cabinet minister, who refused to be quoted by name, said the United States held the answer to whether Ramadier's government could survive, since the Communists dominate French organized labor and hold the largest number of seats in the Assembly.

He said the Communists might call out six million workers in a gener rtslaike general strike unless the United States rushes badly needed food and financial aid to France.

Governorship Aims Dropped by Morton

By The Associated Press

Representative Morton (R., Ky.) announced yesterday withdrawal of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Governor of Kentucky.

The 39-year-old Louisville Representative said in a statement he believed his candidacy would contribute to "party disunity" and would not promote a Republican gubernatorial victory in 1948.

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are and how they got that way."

It was a fearless microscope, sparing neither the personalities or the warped ideologies. It forecast their doom. Yet at no time during the investigation or after publication of the series were any Columbian reprisals hinted.

"I had understood they had an awesome reputation," Folliard said later. Both Homer Loomis, jr., founder of the Columbians, and Emory Burke drew prison sentences when their organization crumbled under the spotlight of indignation—not only Georgia's but the Nation's.

Truman's Congratulations

At the White House yesterday, fellow correspondents waited while Folliard received congratulations from President Truman. When he emerged, he grinned:

"No comment, it was just a social call."

Fro mRalph McGill, editor of the Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution, who was threatened for his criticism of the Columbians, also came a congratulatory telegram yesterday. McGill's editorials were quoted frequently in Folliard's series.

A native Washingtonion who has never worked on a newspaper outside of the Capital, Folliard humorously, but patriotically defends "Foggy Bottom" against disparagment. He was born in Georgetown, May 14, 1899, but spent most of his boyhood in the "Bottom" near the Potomac. He attended public and parochial schools.

Copy Boy with INS

His first newspaper job was as a copy boy with International News Service under the late John Edwin Nevin, in 1916-17. He went into the Navy in 1917, made 20 crossings of the Atlantic and survived a ship sinking on the Goodwin Sands between Dover and Calais.

On his return to Washington at the close of World War I, he attended what is now Columbus University and later, while covering police headquarters for The Post, studied at George Washington University.

Folliard got his first reportial job on the old Weshington Herald in 1922 and came to The Post staff in 1923. Save for a brief interval he has been on its staff since that time.

His "beat" has run the newspaper gamut from crime reporting to covering Capitol Hill and the White House.

As a War Correspondent

Some of his best stories and certainly some in which he derives the greatest pride because they came from World War II's front lines, were his war dispatches from Europe—from a combat correspondent of 45. He was at the Battle of the Bulge, "far more cared than I ever was of the Columbians." He was with the Ninth Army in the crossing of the Rhine.

Before the war was three months old, he wrote a story about the gallant stand of the Marines at Wake Island. It was broadcast around the world in six languages.

Among the other stories he has handled were the execution of Bruno Richard Hauptmann in the Lindbergh baby death, the Canadian tour of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, the visit of Cardinia Pacelli, now Pope Pius XII, and the two Roosevelt-Churchill war conferences at Quebec. He has been covering national political campaigns since 1928.

Visited Martinique

In 1940 he made a 7000-mile air trip to see new United States bases in the Caribbeanand was the first reported to visit the French island of Martinique after the Germans forbed into France.

He is a member of the National Press Club, the Gridiron Club, the J. Russell Young School of Expression, and the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick. He is a former president of the White House Correspondents' Association.

With his wife, the former Helen Liston of Brookline, Mass., and two children, Nancy, 11, and Michael, 4, he lives at 4412 Lowell st. nw.

Tall and gangling, Folliard is doing his best work when his hair is tousled and his suspenders slightly off-the-shoulder—to the waist. One of his theories is that a reporter is not only that, but a "good will man."

Find Approbation

In that theory, he finds wide approbation—except among membership of the Columbians, Inc.

President Inonu Of urkey, Thanks U. S. for Navy Visit

Istanbul, Turkey, May 5 (AP).—President Ismet Inonu declared today Turkey fully understood the "profound meaning of the friendship" expressed in the visit to Istanbul of American naval vessels and sent the thanks of Turkey to the United States.

From the presidential barge, Inonu looked over the mighty American warships riding at anchor in the Bosphorus. His visit was described as unofficial but he got 21-gun salutes from both Turkish and American ships.

Alaska Trapper's Guess on Ice Break Time Wins $20,000

Nenana, Alaska, May 5 (U.P.).—A lonely Alaskan trapper was $20,000 richer today because he guessed the precise minute when the mighty Tanana River would break its winter-long ice jam Saturday night.

The trapper, Floyd Jaeger, set the time at 5:53 p. m., May 3, and invested $1 in the Far North's $140,000 ice pool. Six other tickets also won. Among the winners were Paul Stryken, Ladd Field Army Air Base foreman; Olga Miscovich, cook for a mine; Chris Milovich, a railroad worker, and bartender Alex Miller.

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L. Snodgrass, a B. & O. vice president, read a statement of the events leading up to the reorganization. He said he finally became convinced that "an adjustment plan unde the McLaughlin Act was the only way out of our difficulties.

"I remember asking Mr. Jones (Jesse Jones, then Federal Loan Administrator) if he were going to put me in jail when we could not pay our notes," Snodgrass recounted.

"He said, no, but that our other creditors would have to do something, too."

Snodgrass took issue with Robert T. L'Heureux, committee counsel, who held that the B. & O. should have been able to meet its obligations without undergoing reorganization. According to L'Heureux's figures the railroad had made more than 110 million dollars in net profits after taxes from the end of 1939 to the end of 1945.

Snodgrass said, however, that L'Heureux's statement "omitted material facts to the extent of about 80 million dollars. One item alone which was omitted was $36,510,000 of notes which matured on August 1, 1944."

Aleman Reviews West Point Cadets

West Point, N. Y., May 5 (AP).—In a driving rain, President Aleman of Mexico reviewed the U. S. Military Academy's 2000-man cadet corps today after toasting the imperative necessary of bolstering collevtive security." Then the presidential party took off for Chattanooga, Tenn., where they will visit TVA projects.

Chinese Reds Gain Point in Route To Manchuria

Peiping, May 5 (AP).—Communists in north CMhina are struggling to reopen a corridor to Manchuria, already hold one necessary point en route, Gen. Tu Li-ming, commanding government forces in Manchuria, reported today.

The Communists now hold Chihcheng, 70 miles northwest of Peiping, he said. The Communists were reported to have suffered a real loss in the death of their Manchurian commandant, clever Gen. Lin Piao.

Gen. Sun Li-jen, until recently commanding the government's American-trained First Army in Manchuria, said Lin's death in Harbin had been confirmed. Lin was reported killed by a disgruntled political rival.

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son, jr., 23, 1708 Vermont ave. nw., was charged with six burglaries since January.

He is charged with burglaries at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Oyster, 1430 Rode Island ave. nw., David Perlman, 2517 Mozart pl. nw., Charles J. Lowen, 1801 16th st. nw.; Louis Pivowar, 1724 17th st nw., Gladys A. McLean, 1826 Kenyon st. nw., and Frank P. Dickey, 1715 st. nw.

A $2200 wild mink cape which Mrs. Leola Holmes, 39, of 614 N st. nw., said she purchased at a $10 bargain price, boomeranged into an indictment against her. She is charged with receiving stolen property. Police gave her address as 614 N st. nw.

According to charges, she claims she purchased the cape from a "man named Michael." The cape was stolen, according to the indictment, by a Thomas Armstead. It was taken from a truck of Jandel Furs, Inc.

Among ignored cases were those of John H. Smith, 1336 Kenyon st. nw., charged with grand larceny, and William E. Robertson, 46, 1117 Sumner ct. se., and Arthur Beards, 38, 1015 8th st. nw., both charged with running a three-card monte game.

$50,000 in Gems Stolen

New York, May 5 (U.P.).—Two men disguised as fire inspectors today robbed a Fifth Avenue diamond merchant, Isadore Waitre, 53, of $50,000 in gems.

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of government and the economy inside Greece."

Stassen discussed the Truman doctrine and other foreign and domestic issues as the House called a 10 a. m. session today to launch debate on the Greek-Turkish aid measure.

Death Delays Debate

Slated opening of the House debate yesterday was postponed by the death of Representative Charles L. Gerlach (R., Pa.), a member of the Foreign Affairs Committee. The House adjourned overnight as a mark of respect.

Leaders believed the measure would be passed in a form acceptable to the Administration but the debate will be stormy and votes on some amendments striking at the bill's heart may be close.

The House Foreign Affairs committee, upset last week by a foreign relief bill, held a two-hour closed meeting to plan strategy.

Glenn R. Davis Takes Oath as Representative

Glenn R. Davis, 32-year-old Waukesha, Wis., lawyer, was sworn in yesterday by Speaker Martin (R., Mass.) as a Republican Representative from the Second Wisconsin Congressional District.

Davis succeeds Representative Robert K. Henry (R., Wis.) who died last fall shortly after being reelected.

Cigarette Overcharge Touches Off Tong War

Hongkong, May 5 (U.P.).—A pack of cigarettes touched off a tong war last night. More than 200 members of two rival tongs battled after a member of one tong overcharged a member of another for cigarettes. Two were wounded, 12 arrested.

17 Die, 50 Hurt in Wreck

Brisbane, Australia, May 5 (U.P.). At least 17 persons were killed and more than 50 injured today when an engine and three coaches jumped the track outside Brisbane while carrying 450 government employes to a May Day celebration.

Attorney-Critic Of Army Justice Curbed in German

Frankfurt, Germany, May 5 (AP). United States Army headquarters disclosed today it had ordered Earl J. Carroll of San Bruno, Calif., acid-tongued critic of Army court-martial procedure, to accept no more cases as a civilian attorney in American-occupied territory.

Gen. Lucius D. Clay, the military governor, informed Carroll his entry permit had expired last April 16, but that he would be permitted to remain to complete cases of clients he now represents.

The attorney, as an Army captain, had attacked vigorously in Germany last year what he termed "the grave abuses' 'in the military justice system of the United States Army and military government.

Snow Blankets Scotland

London, May 5 (U.P.).—Up to eight inches of snow blanketed Scotland last night and several roads were impassable today.

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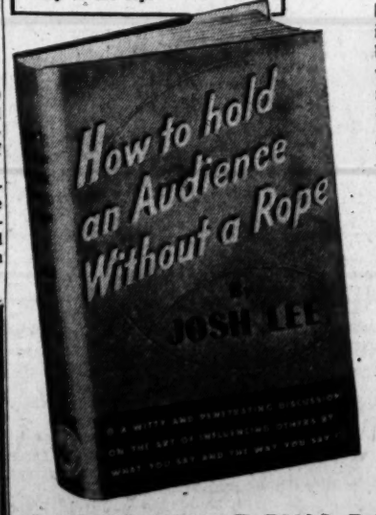

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This Morning

With Shirley Povich

CLEVELAND, May 5.—The late Walter Johnson can rest in peace for a while. His record of pitching 56 consecutive scoreless innings isn't going to be equalled or broken right away, at least. Bob Feller, a man with a yen for records, no longer has Johnson's mark within his sights. Feller got bumped after pitching 29 scoreless innings.

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But if any man does surpass Johnson's record—the equivalent of pitching six consecutive shutouts, plus a couple more scoreless innings—Feller is the likeliest guy. Folks no longer are surprised at Feller's feats. He has made the one-hit game almost a commonplace thing in his career, with 10 already to his credit. He lost his first start of the season, and then bounced back with a pair of one-hitters.

When the Indians sent Feller into the game in the seventh inning yesterday to protect a 3-2 lead over Washington, it looked hopeless for the Nats. But with two out and two on, Buddy Lewis rapped the winning hit into center field and Feller was licked. In the dressing room, Feller was philosophical. "You can't let a good hitter like Lewis take you down to a 3 and 2 count and expect to get away with it all the time," he said.

NO OTHER PITCHER in the league commands anything like the respect Feller gets from the batter when he's out there on the mound. The more honest of them admit they're a little bit scared. They know he can rip their head off with one of his fast balls. He's wild enough to make him dangerous, and he's smart enough to know it, and to play on the batter's nerve, or lack of nerve as the case may be.

Feller's a big guy, anyway, and he deliberately works to awe the hitter. In full view of the batter, he wraps his fist around the ball as if to squeeze the stuffing out of it before taking his position on the mound, and then he glares at the hitter. What ensues then is a wonderful rocking motion that permits him to get all of his 185 pounds into the pitch, and as he finally rears for the throw his left leg is thrown high toward the batter in a long stride, and it's no fun waiting for the pitch.

There's an understandable reluctance by the present-day hitter to believe that Walter Johnson or Lefty Grove was faster than Feller. They can't conceive anybody throwing a pitch harder than Rapid Robert. When they learn, usually with surprise, that Johnson was a side-armer, they're convinced that the stories of speed that was greater than Feller's are merely old folks tales.

LAST SEASON when Feller got off to a bad start, there was the suspicion that he had left much of his speed in the Navy during his four years' service. But at that point he upped and pitched a no-hit game against the Yankees, no less, and there was no longer any doubt that he had it. Previously, he had been beaten by the Yankees more than any other club, perhaps.

The fact was that the Yankees were "calling" Feller's pitches and thus getting a big edge. The New York hitters learned that Feller, before throwing his fast ball, had the habit of rocking a bit longer than when he was pitching his curve. But one day Feller went into his fast-ball rocking act and then struck out Joe DiMaggio with a curve. "The honeymoon's over," yelled Feller as DiMaggio made his way back to the bench.

Unlike Johnson and Grove, Feller not only has the best fast ball in the league, but one of the better curve balls. If the hitters had to worry only about the Feller hard one, they'd be happy, but his curve is a beaut, too. In fact, in late years, it has been Feller's curve ball that has brought him most of his strike-outs after he had properly loosened up the hitter with his fast one.

THE MOST POPULAR pitching topic in the last couple of years has been the Feller vs. Newhouser debate. Admittedly, the Detroit left hander has been the only pitcher to challenge Feller for the league's top rating, and Feller never has won as many as the 29 victories Newhouser scored in 1944. Last season, while Feller was winning 26 and losing 15, Newhouser was winning as many and losing only nine.

The debate has raged so long, in fact, that Mr. Earl Hilligan of the American League felt constrained to research for the head-to-head story of Feller vs. Newhouser. What he came up with was a clear verdict for Feller.

It seems that seven times in their careers, Newhouser and Feller have met as starting pitchers. Five times it was Feller the winner, with Newhouser the victor only once. They were both batted out in the other start.

Rain Again Halts Nats; Haefner Goes Wednesday

By Shirley Povich
Post Reporter

Cleveland, May 5.—When the Nats can get work in the American League they make out pretty well, with six victories in their last nine games to be offered in evidence, but today they bumped into postponement No. 8 when it rained in Cleveland.

And so the Washington club betook itself to Detroit for a two-game series with the Tigers starting Wednesday and liking the way things have been going lately.

What they are showing in the league standings is a very modest record of six wins and six defeats that gives them no better than a tie for fourth place, but they are stacking up as a better club than that. The item that pleases Manager Ossie Bluege is the fact that his athletes were a come-from-behind club in thir last two games.

Rallies Produce Victories

They dug out from under a 4-0 deficit in the seventh inning to beat the Browns and halt a two-game losing streak, and yesterday they licked no less than Bob Feller with another four-run assault in the seventh inning at a time when the Indians had a 3-2 lead.

There hasn't been anything wrong all season with the Nats' defense play, and they're probably the top fielding club in the league with only four errors in 12 games, but lately they've snapped out of the hitting slump that bogged them down in the first two weeks of play.

Even when his club was woefully awful in the early games, Bluege didn't shuffle his batting order except to replace his lead-off man, and he has been rewarded in recent games when Gerry Priddy and Mark Christman began to hit. Buddy Lewis never did slacken his pace that put him above .400 in the first week, and Mickey Vernon is at last hitting with something of a vigor befitting the defending batting champion.

Haefner Goes Wednesday

Wednesday in Detroit, Mickey Haefner goes to the post again in an effort to get his first victory of the season. The little southpaw who was expected to be an important winner for the Nats, has been knocked out successively by the Yankees and Red Sox in four innings, and now he's battling for his starting job along with Buck Newsom.

If Haefner fails against the Tigers, the likelihood is that he will be relegated to relief, with Chic Pieretti moved into a starting role. He will be pitching against Virgil Trucks, Detroit fast-baller.

Later in the Detroit series, the Nats will probably meet up with Hal Newhouser, but that could be all right, too—they've knocked out of the box every left-hander they've faced so far—Joe Page, Mel Parnell and Sam Zoldak. The Tigers, on paper, are the worst hitting club in the league and sadly missing the big bat of Hank Greenberg.

Bluege Praises Ferrick

Ossie Bluege declares the turning point of the victory over Feller yesterday was when Pinch Hitter George Myatt wangled a walk from Feller at the risk of his life after ducking three near-homicidal inside pitches. Bluege counts it a lucky day when he obtained Pitcher Tom Ferrick from the Browns on waivers, in seven innings of relief work, Ferrick has allowed only two hits, and no runs. Sid Hudson took his place among the leading pitchers of the league when he scored his third straight win despite the fact he was removed for a pinch hitter in the seventh inning at Cleveland. Stan Spence's homer off Feller yesterday stirred recollections of his homer off Feller last year in Griffith Stadium when Rapid Robert similarly moved in as a relief pitcher.

Grid Cardinals' 18-Year-Old Owner Follows Dad's Footsteps

Charles Bidwill, Jr. Back at Georgetown

By Al Costello
Post Reporter

AS LONG as there is a Chicago Cardinal football team; as long as there is a National Football League and, in fact, as long as there is such a thing as professional football, the name of Bidwill will always be a prominent part of the game's general pattern.

The youngest club owner in the NFL, 18-year-old Charley Bidwill, said yesterday the Cardinals were not for sale at any price and never would be as long as he and his brother Billy, 15, had anything to do with it.

And they should know. For when death snapped the career of their beloved dad, Charley Bidwill last month, there two youngsters found themselves owners of a big league football team.

Charley yesterday returned to his classes at Georgetown University where he is a freshman majoring in social sciences.

Still a bit bewildered by the sudden death of his father, Charley nevertheless is looking to the future when he will take over the Cardinals and tread the football path in the footsteps of his dad. And with confidence.

"DAD ALWAYS wanted us (meaning he and his brother) to eventually take over the Cardinals," he said yesterday. "Ever since I can remember I have been around football and football men.

"By now it is almost part of me. Soon it will be. I realize I have a lot to learn and intend to finish my college courses here at Georgetown before taking over.

"Both my brother and myself love football. I never played the game in high school because I always was too light. (He weighs about 140). But I've been with Dad to almost every game the Cardinals ever played and I've been to a lot of business meetings of the club in recent years.

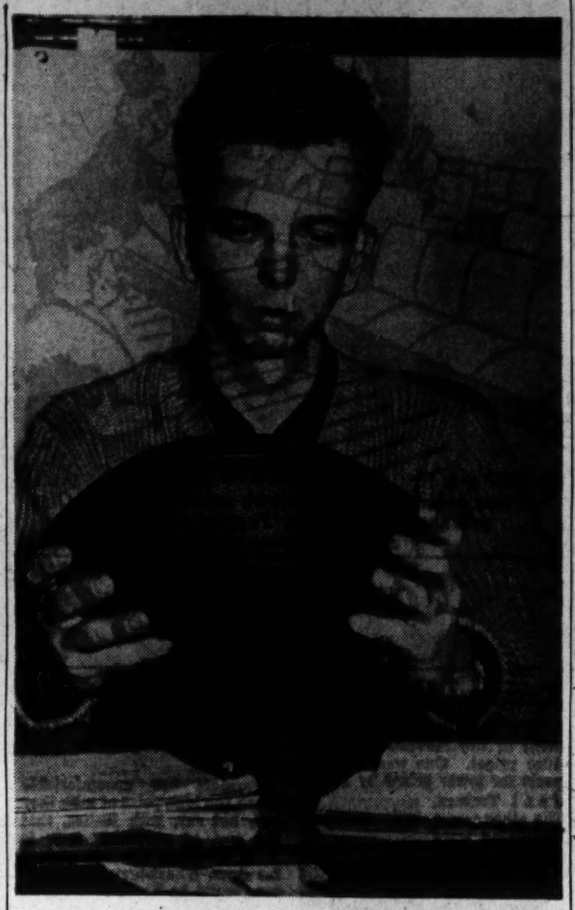
As young Charley prepares himself for his cut-out career as a pro grid magnate, the Cardinals are in the capable hands of Ray Benningsen, a mathematical kizard, and Arch Wolf, president and general manager, respectively.

Benningsen was more or less the elder Bidwill's right hand mand and, in time to come, will lend his capable guidance to the new and youthful Cardinal owners.

The gact that Charley Bidwill left a fortune to his survivors, including a printnig business of fabulous proportions and controlling interests in race tracks in Chicago and dog racing tdacks in Florida is only incidental the way young Charley Bidwill looks at things.

The Cardinals, he believes, are something like a living monument to his dad.

With that in mind he is certain that as long as there is the sport of pro football there will always be the Cardinals—and a Bidwill.



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CHARLES BIDWELL, JR.
. . . His Future Lies With Football

Smug 154, Perry 151; Enter Ring Razor Sharp

By Morris Siegel
Post Reporter

Aaron Perry weighed a surprisingly heavy 151½ for his scheduled ten-rounder last night with Smuggy Hursey at Griffith Stadium. Perry expected to weigh no more than 149½ for the clash.

Hursey came in at an even 154, 3 pounds more than he carried into the ring in March when he thumped Billy Arnold at Uline Arena.

The Smug had a $1000 weight forfeit at stake. He and Perry agreed to weigh 154, give or take a pound, for last night's clash. On Saturday, after his final workout, Hursey was 158.

Eye Peeled On Weather

While the weigh-in ceremonies were taking place, Promoter Goldie Ahearn of the Liberty A. C. kept his good eye peeled on the sky hoping the threatening clouds would roll by.

Scattered showers and a stiff wind all afternoon brought Ahearn into a huddle with his Liberty A. C. associates. After several such conferences, the group decided to adjourn to Griffith Stadium and if a postponement was to be made it would be announced from there by 5:30.

If a delay was necsesary, the entire card would be held over until tonight.

Although the odds dropped a bit, Hursey was still the choice. He was 8-5 in most books, but some quoted him even as high as 12-5.

Brands Story False

White-haired Harry Garsh, Perry's manager, branded the story of Hursey flooring Perry in a gymnasium workout 18 months ago a falsehood.

"Hursey only boxed one round with Perry that day," Garsh said. "I noticed that Hursey was using six-ounce gloves. I asked him what was the idea of using those gloves in a gynasium. He said those were the only gloves available and I told him to scram. As for flooring Aaron, that's silly."

There was a lot at stake for both boys last night. A win for either would put the victor in line for several outdoor shots the Liberty A. C. and its rival, Matchmaker Gabe Menendez, have planned for the summer season.

Eary yesterday, Ahearn counted a $10,000 advance and was confident the gate would hit the $25,000 mark. With a break in the weather, Ahearn expected a $40,000 house.

What's Doing Today

BASEBALL

Bullis at Navy Fisher, 4 p. m.
Georgetown Prep at Bethesda, 3:15 p. m.
Gaithersburg at Blair, 3:15 p. m.
Fairfax at Fredericksburg, 3:15 p. m.
Falls Church at Devitt, 3:15 p. m.
Coolidge at Roosevelt, 3:15 p. m.
Central at Tech, 3:15 p. m.
Eastern at Wilson, 3:15 p. m.
St. Anthony's at Woodward, 3 p. m.
Anacostia at Western, 3:15 p. m.
W.-L. at Episcopal, 3:15 p. m.
Bladensburg at Solomon Island, Md., 1 p. m.

TENNIS

Washington College at American U., 3 p. m.

GOLF

G. W. High vs. Gonzaga at Army-Navy, 3:15 p. m.
Wilson vs. Coolidge at Congressional, 3:15 p. m.
Blair vs. Western at Manor, 3:15 p. m.
Devitt at Central at Bannockburn, 3:15 p. m.
Bethesda at Georgetown Prep, 3:15 p. m.

Sarah Cooke, Pauline Betz, Join Net Pros

New York, May 5 (AP).—Ending any suspense there might have been, Pauline Betz and Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Cooke announced today they had turned tennis professionals and would engage in a long series of matches against each other.

The two girls, among the better lookers tennis has produced, were suspended as amateurs by the United States Lawn Tennis Association last month when the news got aroun dthat Elwood Cooke, husband of Sarah, was offering to book them as professionals.

Pauline, present National and Wimbledon net queen, and Sarah, twice former national champion in 1941 and '45, will play their first "warm-up" match at Duke University at Durham, N. C., on May 16. Other Southern matches are scheduled tentatively at Greensboro, N. C., Louisville, Ky., Nashville, Tenn., and Washington, D. C.

These tilts are intended merely to get Mrs. Cooks in playing condition, it was explained. She has played very little in the past year. The girls will not start keeping count until they play their first "official" matches in Los Angeles on June 7 and 8. If all goes well, they expect to play abroad next year.

Miss Betz, four-time winner at Forest Hills, indicated she was giving up her amateur status without much regret.

"I've heard about all this money to be made as an amateur," she volunteered. "All I can say is that I haven't seen any of it."

The Majors

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	10	5	.667	....
Detroit	8	6	.571	1½
Cleveland	7	6	.538	2
New York	8	7	.533	2
WASHTON	6	6	.500	2½
Boston	8	8	.500	2½
St. Louis	6	9	.400	4
Philadelphia	4	10	.286	5½

Yesterday's Results

New York at Detroit, rain.
Washington at Cleveland, wet grounds.
(Only games.)

Today's Games

New York (Reynolds 2-1) at Detroit (Truck 2-1.
Boston (Parnell 1-1) at St. Louis (Galehouse 1-2).
Philadelphia (Fowler 1-3 at Chicago (Rigney 2-1.
Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Brooklyn	9	3	.750	....
Pittsburgh	8	5	.615	1½
Boston	8	6	.583	2
Chicago	8	6	.583	2
Philadelphia	8	8	.500	3
New York	5	7	.417	4
Cincinnati	7	10	.412	4½
St. Louis	3	11	.214	7

Yesterday's Results

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn, rain.
St. Louis at Boston (night game).
Cincinnati at Philadelphia, rain.
(Only games.)

Tiday's Games

Cincinnati (Walters 1-0 at New York (Kennedy 1-1).
St. Louis (Pollet 0-3) at Brooklyn (Gregg 2-0).
Chicago (Schmitz 2-1) at Philadelphia (Raffensberger 1-1).
Pittsburgh (Ostermuller 1-1) at Boston (S. Johnson 1-0) night.

50 Runs, 33 Hits, 24 Errors—No Stuff

Thomasboro, Ill., May 5 (U.P.).—Buckley beat Thomasboro, 50 to 4, in an Eastern Illinois League baseball game to set a new scoring mark in the 15-year history of the circuit. The winner made 33 hits while the losers had 24 errors.

Corcoran Tiff With Metz Is All Over

Chicago, May 5 (AP).—Golfer Dick Metz and his "one-punch" target, Fred Corcoran, today shook hands and called off a four-month feud since their famed California skirmish, but the Professional Golfers Association simutaneously relieved Corcoran of his post as tournament manager and named him "promotional director."

The PGA executive committee, announcing the truce, had no comment on the question of whether the Metz-Corcoran affair had any bearing on the establishment of Corcoran as promotional director in a New York office and handing over direction of tournament management to a PGA players committee until a replacement can be named.

Corcoran said the change was suggested by himself long before the tangle with Metz at Del Monte, Calif., during a tournament in January. Corcoran, however, declined comment on his truce with Metz, who had requested a hearing before the executive committee.

Corcoran had declared he was felled by a "Pearl Harbor" punch from Metz, who denied this, asserting he had delivered the blow "simultaneously because Corcoran turned suddenly and made what I judged to be a threatening move."

Metz subsequently was suspended from two tournaments.

"They both shook hands and said the subject would be dropped todey," president Ed Dudley of the PGA said.

Leonard Takes Farmington Golf

Charlottesville, Va., May 5 (AP).—Tom Leonard, the University of Virginia's No. 1 golfer, won the Farmington Country Club Invitational Golf Tournament by defeating William B. Tomlinson, jr., of the Hermitage Country Club, Richmond, 4 and 3.

Leonard's victory brought him the Kenridge Trophy, a gift of the late Hollis Rinehart, sr.

Leonard had advanced to the finals by dowing Pat Janssen of Farmington, 6 and 5, and Tomlinson won from John S. Battle, jr., also of Farmington, 2 and 1, in the morning round.

Maybe Scalpers Think He's Easy

Cleveland, May 5 (AP).—Business Manager Rudie Schafer of the Cleveland Indians was looking over the crowds that poured into the stadium yesterday for the Tribe's game with Washington when he was approached by a man who offered to sell him a "good $1 seat for $2."

Detectives arrested the man, Abraham Sacheroffen, 49, and he pleaded guilty before Municipal Judge Louis Petrash today to scalping tickets. He was fined $50 and costs.

A few minutes after this incident, another man eased up to Schaffer and offered "a choice seat for $5." The man was Hyman Cohen, 45, and he pleaded innocent when arraigned before Judge Petras. His case was set for May 15.

Zale-Graziano Bout Shifted to Stadium

Chicago, May 5 (AP).—Site of the middleweight championship fight between Titleholder Tony Zale and Rocky Graziano Wednesday, July 16, has been shifted from Wrigley Field to Chicago Stadium, promoters of the 15-round battle announced today.

Copromoter Irving Schoenwald said the change was made because construction of ringside bleachers at Wrigley Field, home of the Chicago Cubs, would entail the use of lumber and other materials currently needed in housing projects.

He said a scale of ticket prices ranging from $6.50 to a top ringside $32.50 would prevail.

Former Bosox Player Dies in Hospital

Arlington, Mass., May 5 (AP).—Byron J. "Ty" La Forest, 28, who played third base with the Boston Red Sox for part of the 1945 season, died at Symmes Arlington Hospital today.

Mrs. La Forest said her husband "collapsed" while playing with San Antonio in the Texas League. The hospital declined to make public the cause of death.

Hemsley Released

Philadelphia, May 5 (AP).—Rollie Hemsley, 40-year-old catcher, today asked for and was granted his unconditional release from the Philadelphia Phillies.

A veteran of 19 major league summers, Hemsley said he has two offers from other clubs. The Phillies still have Andy Seminick and Don Padgett available for backstop duties.

$100 to Caddy

Even England Interested in 'Big Wig' Golf

By Bus Ham
Post Reporter

BRINGING you up to date on the National Celebrities Golf Tournament, May 17-18, at the Columbia Golf and Country Club—

Like sound, news of the big show travels fast and far. They've heard about in England. At At least two sports writers from London will be here to see it.

One is Bill Luscombe of The Field, a weekly sports publication. Luscombe and another staff member of The Field will do a series of articles on their impressions of our sports.

SOME of the fellows around town who enjoy lending a hand on live-wire events will act as special caddies for Bing Crosby, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Bobby Jones, Walter Hagen, Attorney General Tom Clark and so on.

And they'll pay $100 apiece for the privilege.

George Morris Fay, Wash B. Williams, Harry Duncan, Len Walsh, Edward M. English, Jim Magner and Carter Barron form an Honorary Caddies' committee.

When the honor list has been completed, these civic leaders will draw names out of a hat for their respective starters.

DEL WEBB, millionaire oilman with a lot of dough invested in the New York Yankees, will celebrate his birthday May 17 by teeing off with other celebrities. Nice birthday present for Del if he could win the title.

Schoolboy golfers will be invited to form a threesome in the tournament to symbolize the real idea for holding the event . . . that of making the country more conscious of greater youth opportunity through sports.

BABE RUTH is expected to return to Miami Beach, Fla., this week for more fishing and relaxation. Whether he will be able to fly to Washington for the Celebrities meet will depend, of course, on his physical condition about May 15.

Quite a few persons have asked how the proceeds of the tournament will be handled. The Post will administer this fund. It will not go to any specific group but will be used generally wherever needed for the greater good of the kids.

Army-Navy Women Win

Army-Navy, Indian Spring and Chevy Chase golf teams won their matches in the weekly DWGA event held yesterday at Congressional Country Club.

Army-Navy defeated Kenwood, 6-3; Indian Spring dubbed Woodmont, 6½ to 2½ and Chevy Chase took the measure of Manor, 6½ to 2½.

In second team matches, played at Kenwood, Chevy Chase and Kenwood broke even, 4½ to 4½; Prince Georges and Manor split, 4½ to 4½ and Belle Haven defeated Columbia, 5½ to 3½.

In the only third team match played at Washington, Kenwood defeated Columbia, 6½ to 2½. The host club drew a bye.

Leo in New York, Will See Rickey

New York, May 5 (AP).—Leo Durocher, suspended manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, and his wife, Movie Actress Laraine Day, arrived by plane from Los Angeles today.

Durocher, who said he would remain here indefinitely, added that it was likely he would see President Branch Rickey of the Dodgers, but that he did not have an appointment.

He refused comment when asked if there had been a change in his baseball status and replied that "I like it here" when questioned why he had returned to New York.

Durocher was suspended for the 1947 season by Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler a month ago. Burt Shotton now is manager of the Dodgers.

Assault Still 4th In Race Winnings

New York, May 5 (AP).—Assault added $32,325 to his bank account Saturday by winning the Grey Lag Handicap at Jamaica but the King Ranch charger still is fourth on the turf's all-time money winning list.

The top 10 and the amounts they have won:

Whirlaway, $561,161; *Stymie, $519,285; *Armed, $462,775; *Assault, $472,770; Seabiscuit, $437,730; First Fiddle, $393,610; Sun Beau, $376,744; *Pavot, $373,365; Alsab, $330,015; Equipoise, $336,610.

* Still racing.

Jet Pilot Well Guarded at Pimlico

Baltimore, May 5 (AP).—Trainer Tom Smith of Maine Chance Farm's 1947 Kentucky Derby winner, Jet Pilot, had a ready answer today when asked if he wanted a guard for his colt between now nad Preakness day Saturday.

"No, we'd have to get someone to watch the guard," he said. "Anyway," Smith explained, "We have the best guard we will need," a big shaggy dog named Buck.

"He's part wolf, and we tie him right in front of Jet Pilot's barn. "And don't think he won't bite, if you get too close."

Interhigh Baseball Hits Stretch Today With Four Big Games

By Herb Heft
Post Reporter

The eight interhigh baseball teams begin their two-week stretch drive today toward the championship playoffs which are slated for May 20.

The defending champion Collidge Colts invade Roosevelt. Eastern's Ramblers, tied for first place with Coolidge, play at Wilson. McKinley Tech entertains Central, and Western is host to Anacostia. All games start at 3:15 p. m.

Four more league contests are cared for Friday, with all the teams playing two games apiece next week. This stepped up pace, just before the playoffs, is expected to tell on the teams that are weak in the pitching department.

Coolidge and Eastern, the two top teams have no worries. The Colts, who have won all three of their games with fireballer Houston (Tex) Jones on the mound, will probably start the veteran Bill Witzel today, and come back with Tex on Friday.

Roosevelt will be represented in the box by either Bernie Mead or Marty Vogel, but with three streaight losses, isn't conceded much of a chance against the defending champions. Roosevelt lost its last two games, 18-0, and 11-0.

Lefty Joe Graves will get his first start for Eastern today, with Bernie Myles, winner of Eastern's other three games, resting until Friday. Wilson's starter is uncertain.

Tech will send Lefty Bill Burlingame to the hill against Central's Joe Fitzpatrick. Carl Ross of Anacostia will get the starting assignment against Western's Fred Cohoon.

Solunar Tables

By JOHN ALDEN KNIGHT

According to the Solunar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing for today and tomorrow will be as follows:

TODAY

A. M.		P. M.	
Minor	Major	Minor	Major
6:35	12:30	6:45	1:05

WEDNESDAY

Minor	Major	Minor	Major
7:15	1:25	7:40	1:50

Major Solunar periods, lasting 1½ to 2 hours, black type.
Minor periods, shorter in duration, light type.

Umpires Sacred In Shore League

Easton, Md., May 5 (AP).—The umpire will be a sacred man when the Class D Eastern Shore League baseball season opens Thursday night.

League President J. Thomas Kibler made that clear to club managers at a preseason powwow yesterday.

No ballplayers will be allowed to pour from the bench and thrust their chins in the umpire's face, Kibler said—only the coaches and managers, under a new rule, may leave the players' bench.

"Rowdyism will not exist in the league this year," Kibler said. "Open drinking in the stands" and "bad language" will be banned.

Kibler said only two umpires have returned from last year's Eastern Shore League season and signed up for another hitch.

Lions Sign Kelley Mote

Detroit, May 5 (U.P.).—Coach Charles E. (Gus) Dorais of the Detroit Lions today announced the signing of Kelley Mote, all-Southern Conference end at Duke for two years.

Walter Hagen, Jr., To Watch Dad Play

Walter Hagen, jr., son of the golf immortal, will be a spectator at the National Celebrities Golf Tournament.

Young Hagen, now an automobile executive in Richmond, Va., will have a rooting interest in the May 17-18 show at Columbia Country Club. His dad will play in a special foursome which will include three other masters, Bobby Jones, Gene Sarazen and Tommy Sarazen.

Leonard Leaves $20,000 Estate

New York, May 5 (AP).—Benny Leonard, former world's lightweight boxing champion, who died April 18, named his widow, Mrs. Jacqueline Leonard, sole beneficiary and executrix in his will dated October 11, 1937, and filed today for probate in surrogates court.

The estate was formally valued at "more than $20,000" in the petition for probate.

Cotton Tutors Cuppers

Southport, England, May 5 (AP).—Henry Cotton, Britain's foremost professional golfer, withdrew from the opening round of the Dunlop-Southport golf tournament today to help tutor the British Walker Cup squad.

Camden Bids For Philly Games

Camden, N. J., May 5 (AP).—Mayor George Brunner today invited American and National League baseball teams to play their Philadelphia games in Camden in order to avoid payment of Quaker City wage taxes by visiting players.

Philadelphia's City Treasurer W. Frank Marshall announced Saturday he would collect the 1 per cent wage tax from all visiting players.

In letters to the presidents of the two major leagues, Brunner wrote: "We have ample facilities for handling the crowds, ideally situated land and we have no wage tax, no sales tax, luxury tax, income tax or any other such special punitive tax."

Babe Ruth Returns To Florida Friday

New York, May 5 (AP).—Babe Ruth will resume his Florida vacation Friday, Mrs. Ruth said today, adding that the former home run slugger was feeling "pretty well."

Mrs. Ruth said the party would include Babe's nurse and their host, Raymond F. Kilthou of Great Neck and Miami Beach.

Ruth spent two weeks in Florida last month, but returned home to participate in the Babe Ruth Day at Yankee Stadium on April 27. He will stay in Miami Beach.

Anacostia Wins, 7-1, Over St. Anthony's

Anacostia won its second game in eight starts by downing St. Anthony's, 7-1, yesterday at Anacostia. George Seengstack, Anacostia pitcher, limited St. Anthony's to three hits, while his mates were bunching their nine safeties into two big innings.

St. Anthony's	000	001	0	1	3	4
Anacostia	004	003	x	7	9	2

Carter and Colbert; Seengstack and Faubauer.

Walker Cup Team Wins Warm-Up

Ascot, England, May 5 (U.P.).—Paced by Robert Sweeney of Miami, the United States Walker Cup team defeated the Berkshire Club today, 11 to 4, in its last warmup before leaving for the Walker Cup competition at St. Andrews, Scotland, May 16-17.

Sweeney, who has been a resident of England for many years and is a team alternate, turned in the day's best scores as the Americans won foursomes play, 4 to 1, and singles, 6 to 2, with two matches halved.

The Kids Corner

3000 Kids in Junior Olympics Today

By Roger Wolbarst
Post Reporter

MORE THAN 3000 youngsters are expected to participate in the third annual Junior Olympic games which get under way today and Wednesday with eleven trial meets scheduled throughout the city.

The finals will be held on May 17 at the Roosevelt High School Stadium.

Last year's Junior Olympics attracted 2800 youngsters, representing 76 elementary public and parochial schools and the trial meets were witnessed by 7000 spectators.

The Junior Olympics will again be under the direction of the District Recreation Department and the Junior Board of Commerce. The major portion of the staff handling the events will come from the Neighborhood Centers, with the Junior Board of Commerce supplying the judges, timers, starters and track officials.

The principal rules for entry state that every boy entered must represent a school; a boy may enter one event and a relay; and spike shoes may not be worn.

Competition will be held in the 65, 75, 85, 100, 115 pound and unlimited weight classes. All boys must be weighed before each event. All five place winners in each event will receive awards from the Recreation Department. In the finals, the first three place winners will receive medals.

An attraction which has been added to this year's program is an "Invitational Relay" event. Letters have been sent to all Junior High Schools in the area, inviting them to send a relay team to the meet. A large trophy will go to the winning team, and individual members of the team will be awarded medals.

Joan and Carolyn Alsop, 15-year-old twins, are two of the most active all-around athletes in town. The girls, besides being members of last year's champion Fort Grebel Playground softball team, were members of the archery team which finished second in the citywide tournament. In addition, they are members of the Fort Grebie bowling, basketball and swimming teams.

Georgetown Branch boasts three boys who won four letters at the club during the past year. Charley Workman, 14; George "Tuffy" Abel, 12; and Newton Davis, 12, will be presented with letters for baseball, football, basketball and boxing at the club's award banquet later this month at the Continental Hotel.

Bennings

DEAR FOLKS:

Jockey Al Snider, who many would have preferred as the Derby rider on Faultless instead of Dodson, is topping the saddle artists here just as he did at Havre de Grace. He has kicked home nine so far to six for Carson Kirk, who was the top man at Bowie. Pete Allnutt, the up-and-coming young trainer, is taking his crack filly, Menow, to Delaware Park along with Molly Pitcher, Cy Dart, Ann Play and Gay Boo. His father, E. C. Allnutt, is going to Charles Town with Gay Peggy, Quick Ann and Raylight. Trainer Jimmy Jones is topping the conditioners here with six winners from the Calumet barn for $23,345 in earnings. Jimmy's pop, Ben Jones, will be here this week to send Faultless after the Preakness. During the first week, 19 Pimlico favorites won in 48 races for a 39.5 percentage. Jockey Shelby Clark, who rode Helis' Cosmic Bomb to fifth place in the Derby, is here. He says his mount will make an improved showing in the Preakness and he looks for a change in strategy by many trainers in the race. "The Derby taught everybody something," he said. Don't forget the dinner at the Lord Baltimore tomorrow night. The Horsemen's Benevolent Protective Association is staging it for the cancer and infantile paralysis funds . . . See you on the rail . . . BILL

Selections:

1—Valdina Bina, Dargio, Run Pretty.
2—Sleep Walker, Blenlin, Hand In Glove.
3—Picture Prince, Ossabaw, Similar.
4—Mae Case, Fenty O., Biz Curate.
5—Flysolate, Victim, Bogging Bob.
6—Shivaree, Flying Weather, War Coin.
7—Royal Governor, Tailspin, Loyal Legion.
8—Service Pilot, Lord Calvert, Zax.

Best bet—FLYSOLATE.

Post Consensus

AT PIMLICO
1—Valdina Bina, Dargio, Chislam.
2—Miss Pleat, Bad Light, Blenlin.
3—Ossabaw, Picture Prince, Similar.
4—Mae Case, Fenty O., Viva Teddy.
5—VICTIM, Flysolate, Flaught.
6—Royal Governor, Espanol, Railspin.
7—Hedgethorn, Flying Weather, Lee Circle.
8—Zax, Service Pilot, Bright Argosy.

AT SUFFOLK DOWNS
1—Kengar, Flaming High, Cottius.
2—Charter Member, Night Editor, Park Heights.
3—Easy Al, War Raider, Dauntedid.
4—QUIEN ES, Marksman, Bounding Bow.
5—Bull Tar, Liberty Andy, Atomic Wave.
6—Warrior Prince, Lolling, Camolino.
7—Nashvale, Lord Caprice, Aboyne.
8—Dudie, Tacaro Pilata, Waller.

Pimlico Entries

FIRST RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
1	Barn Cupboard (no boy)	104	15-1
2	Over Gold (no boy)	104	20-1
3	First Fashion (no boy)	118	20-1
4	Chalpre (no boy)	109	10-1
5	Black Knight (no boy)	114	20-1
6	Chislam (no boy)	109	5-2
7	Wild Knight (no boy)	109	8-1
8	Running Riot (no boy)	104	8-1
9	Run Pretty (no boy)	114	6-1
10	Tinsmead (no boy)	109	15-1
11	Tiger Age (G. Smith)	114	8-1
12	Dargio (no boy)	109	4-1
13	Valdina Bina (no boy)	109	5-1
14	Don Orian (no boy)	114	15-1
15	Black Flame (no boy)	114	4-1
16	Town Camp (no boy)	99	20-1

SECOND RACE—Four and one-half furlongs; purse, $2500; maiden 2-year-old fillies.

1	Sleep Walker (Donoso)	118	10-1
2	†Maid O' Mint (no boy)	118	30-1
3	Smajor (Saunders)	118	15-1
4	Spring Song (no boy)	118	15-1
5	Sandy Boll (Holland)	118	15-1
6	Serenade (Garza)	118	10-1
7	Able Fire (no boy)	118	20-1
8	Miss Pleat (no boy)	118	3-1
9	Merlin (Walters)	118	4-1
10	Fresh Breeze (no boy)	118	10-1
11	Rebadora (no boy)	118	20-1
12	Bad Light (Moon)	118	6-1
13	Sun Helix (no boy)	118	20-1
14	Hand In Glove (no boy)	118	8-1
15	In the Clover (Kirkland)	118	10-1
16	Perhaps (no boy)	118	15-1

†A. M. Smith and Mrs. P. Ingalls entry.
†Mrs. E. duPont Weir entry.

THIRD RACE—Two miles; purse, $3500; steeplechase; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

1	On the Cuff (Gallaher)	145	15-1
2	Chanlaw (Smiley)	145	8-5
3	Fighting Prince (Christison)	135	15-1
4	Taps-to-Reveille (no boy)	136	15-1
5	Millar (Adams)	149	4-1
6	Spurious Count (Bosley)	147	20-1

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $3500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

1	Viva Teddy (no boy)	119	10-1
2	Grey Steel (Thornburg)	119	15-1
3	Mae Case (no boy)	111	6-1
4	Wagner (Campbell)	124	30-1
5	Balcourais (no boy)	112	20-1
6	Fenty O. (West)	114	3-1
7	Quick News (Cardosa)	119	10-1
8	Yankee Filer (Knapp)	119	8-1

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $3500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

1	Bogging Bob (no boy)	114	6-1
2	Flysolate (no boy)	117	3-1
3	Pharr Surprise (no boy)	110	10-1
4	Juliette (no boy)	117	15-1
5	Commodore K. (C. Kirk)	117	30-1
6	Ship Ahoy (no boy)	117	30-1
7	Flaught (no boy)	119	4-1
8	Victim (no boy)	114	2-1

SIXTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $7500 added; the Survivor; 3-year-olds.

1	Pilaster (C. Kirk)	113	10-1
2	Golden Bull (Holland)	116	15-1
3	Pebalong (Boston)	113	30-1
4	Royal Governor (no boy)	116	5-2
5	Uncle Remus (Breen)	113	4-1
6	Johntown (no boy)	113	15-1
7	Repand (Garza)	116	20-1
8	The Rips (Hanes)	113	15-1
9	Mitymo (Schmidl)	116	8-1
10	†Loyal Legion (Breen)	116	6-1
11	†Wide Wing (Hansman)	113	6-1
12	†Tailspin (no boy)	113	6-1

†W. M. Jeffords entry.
†Greentree Stable entry.

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $4000; the Larranaga; 4-year-olds up.

1	Flying Weather (no boy)	113	6-1
2	Shivaree (Breen)	113	8-1
3	Aderan (Jemas)	113	10-1
4	Halaza (Saunders)	116	15-1
5	Grand Player (Snider)	113	15-1
6	Sarazo (Moon)	113	20-1
7	War Coin (no boy)	113	6-1
8	Big Bid (Olivera)	113	20-1
9	Lee Circle (C. Kirk)	113	5-2
10	Meadow Maid (Snider)	107	20-1
11	Queen's Chance (Gonzales)	103	10-1
12	Hedgethorn (Donoso)	116	8-1

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $4500; 4-year-olds up (grade D).

1	Bright Argosy (Spencer)	101	4-1
2	He Hells (no boy)	121	6-1
3	†Lord Calvert (Kirkland)	106	6-1
4	†March Chick (Spencer)	101	6-1
5	Zax (West)	116	5-2
6	American Wolf (no boy)	116	7-1
7	Jousting Match (no boy)	115	20-1
8	Service Pilot (no boy)	106	3-1

†Goldsborough and Straus entry.

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Jet Pilot, Phalanx Arrive for Preakness

Cosmic Bomb, Bullet Proof Also on Hand

By Walter Haight
Post Reporter

Pimlico, Md., May 5.—Jet Pilot, the mighty Derby winner who showed little concern when the horseshoe of roses was draped over his neck at Churchill Downs, apparently showed less interest in the train ride from Louisville.

The Main Chance Farm colt, who gave the opposition a rear view of him throughout the Blue Grass classic, walked nonchalantly into his Pimlico stall today.

Jet Pilot arrived along with three of the colts he turned back last Saturday and one he can be expected to top this weekend.

Phalanx Also Arrives

In the shipment came C. V. Whitney's Phalanx, William Helis' Cosmic Bomb, Mrs. M. E. Whitney's Bullet Proof and Bernard Bax's King Bay, the last named a Derby absentee who is highly regarded by his owner, a Louisville undertaker.

Chief interest naturally centered in Jet Pilot. Trainer Tom Smith not only reported that the Derby winner shipped well but that he believed his charge was ready to repeat in the Preakness "come rain, shine, mud or fast."

"I wish I could show you the work charts on Jet Pilot. He's just not a work horse but he runs as fast and as far as they ask horses to run."

Veitch In Charge

Phalanx, favorite in the Derby and who finished second, was in charge of Tom Veitch, brother of Trainer Cy Veitch, who is due here tomorrow.

Trainer William Booth, accompanied by his Trainer Henry Clark.

Trainers of the quartet all declared they are ready to run Saturday in the Preakness.

"Fit for Preakness"

King Bay is in charge of Ray White, Negro conditioner.

"I believe I have a royal chance in the Preakness, for my horse wasn't quite ready for the Derby, but he's fit fo rit thsi week," said White.

King Bay passed up the Derby after winning an overnight race at Churchill Downs, in which he defeated On Trust and other highly regarded Derby hopefuls.

King Bay was purchased at the Keeneland sales for 2500 and won his first race last season at Churchill Downs. It was in the mud and White doesn't care what the track condition is for the Preakness.

Official Pimlico Chart

MONDAY, MAY 5, 1947.
WEATHER CLOUDY, TRACK SLOW.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2500. For 4-year-olds and up; claiming price $2500. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 21:6. Off at 2:16. Winner, I. Ominsky's b. h. (8) by Mowlee—Nora. Grace by Lantados. Trained by A. J. Fitchett. Value, $1625. Time, 1:17⅘.

Horse	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	Str.	Fin.	Straight
WALTER HAIGHT	(Howell)	121	3	6½	6½	1¾	$10.80
RED VULCAN	(Meade)	116	2	3hd	3hd	2hd	3.40
ELECTRIC	(Mann)	119	1	7hd	7½	4hd	3½	13.10
SHORE PATROL	(Kirkland)	114	6	9	8½	6½	4¾	12.00
TRELAWNY	(O.Smith)	120½	4	10	11½	11½	8½	5.30
THE PILOT	(Adair)	121	5	4	1½	2½	2hd	7.90
KARAKAL	(Boston)	109	8	8	5½	5hd	6½	43.30
RINGALONG	(Young)	119	10	3	3½	6²	5½	9½	14.30
BABY EDITH	(Whalen)	111	9	8	12	12	12	8¹½	30.10
ARCH McDONALD	(Scocca)	119	11	5	5²	3½	7½	10¹	26.00
LIL' CHICLE	(Garza)	107	7	12	10½	10½	10½	11¹	8.00
	(West)	112	12	11	9²	9½	11½	12	12.10

WALTER HAIGHT, $23.60, $8.80, $7.20; RED VULCAN, $5.00, $4.20; ELECTRIC, $7.40.

SECOND RACE—Four and one-half furlongs. Purse, $2500. For maiden 2-year-olds; claiming prices $8000 to $7000. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:46. Off at 3:46½. Winner, Rappahannock Farm's dk. b. c. (2) by Head Play—Kenosha by Gray Marquis. Trained by T. M. Waller. Value, $1625. Time, 0:57⅘.

Horse	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
KENPLAY	(C.Kirk)	118	2	1	1½	1hd	1hd	1hd	$2.30
BAIN BORET	(Kirkland)	114	4	2	4hd	2½	2½	2¹	4.30
PEANUT'S GIRL	(Mora)	111	3	4	5½	6¹	3²	3²	8.60
PICTURA	(Calder)	113	5	3	3½	3¹	4½	4¹	25.80
CINDER FOOT	(Jemas)	118	1	5	7hd	7hd	6½	5¹½	10.40
HUNTER F.	(Hansman)	114	8	6	6hd	5²	5²	6¹	43.30
WAR GRIEF	(Howell)	115	11	9	10hd	9²	7½	7¹	14.30
ALICE THOMAS	(Padgett)	111	10	10	9²	8²	8²	8²	60.30
GAY SUN	(Campbell)	113	6	7	8²	11½	9hd	9hd	9.40
KILLEYBEGS	(Caffarella)	122	1	11	11¹	11¹	10²	10²	26.30
SHADOW DANCE	(Robert)	111	7	1	2hd	10¹	11¹	11¹	63.30
GRAND MARS	(Jemas)	118	6	12	12	12	12	12	4.60

KENPLAY, $6.60, $4.00, $2.80; BAIN BORET, $4.80, $3.80; PEANUT'S GIRL, $4.40.

Daily Double—WALTER HAIGHT and KENPLAY Paid $92.60.

THIRD RACE—Two miles. Steeplechase. Purse, $3500. For 4-year-olds and up; claiming prices $4000 to $3500. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:15. Off at 3:15½. Winner, T. T. Mott's b. g. (8) by Madagal—Hinda by Stimulus. Trained by Judy Johnson. Value, $3200. Time, 4:18⅘.

Horse	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	10	15	Str.	Fin.	Straight
BRIDLESPUR	(Smiley)	145	1	1	2d	1²	1d	1½	1²	$1.90
STROLLING ON	(Field)	140	2	4	4	3¹	3¹	2¹	2¹²	.90
STRAYER	(Brown)	142	4	2	1¹	4	3	3	3	11.80
ARIDALE	(Anstead)	138	3	3	3hd				Fell	4.50

BRIDLESPUR, $5.80, $2.60, out; STROLLING ON, $3.60, out; STRAYER, out.

FOURTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $3500. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:45. Off at 3:45. Winner, Cedar Farm's dk. b. c. (3) by Rhodes Scholar—Dustsweep by Chance Shot. Trained by C. W. Shaw, jr. Value, $2275. Time, 1:50.

Horse	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	⅝	Str.	Fin.	Straight
OLD SCHOOL	(Snider)	122	1	7	7½	7¹	6	5¹	1hd	$8.40
WHIZZ HAPPY	(Lulio)	113	6	6	6¹	6½	5hd	3½	2¹	2.80
PHIBLANT	(Lynch)	118	5	5	4¹	3½	2½	1½	3²	34.70
BOURBON	(West)	117	3	3	1¹	1hd	3¹	4½	4¹	2.90
ROMPING	(Baouris)	117	4	5	5hd	5½	6¹	7²	5¹	10.50
FROZEN CUSTARD	(C.Kirk)	119	5	2	2¹	2¹	1hd	6½	6⁴	4.10
GLORY ER	(Breen)	113	2	4	3hd	4¹	7¹	8	7¹	17.50
VIRGINIA BEACH	(Walters)	110	2	1	3½	4½½	4¹	3¹	8	7.00

OLD SCHOOL, $18.80, $7.40, $5.20; WHIZZ HAPPY, $4.40, $3.40; PHIBLANT, $9.20.

FIFTH RACE—Pimlico Breeders' Stakes. Four and one-half furlongs. Purse, $5000 added. For 2-year-old fillies (foaled in Maryland). Start good. Won driving; place easily. Went to post at 4:16. Off at 4:18. Winner, Mrs. E. duPont Weir's ch. f. (2) by Pilate—Yuletide by Revellion. Trained by J. E. Ryan. Value, $4183.34. Time, 3:57.

Horse	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
CHRISTMASTIDE	(Saunders)	115	3	4	6¹	3¹	1¹	1¹	†$2.80
EIREANN	(Garza)	115	5	6	5¹	5¹	4hd	2¹	3.60
DONNA BOORSE	(Howell)	115	4	3	2½	2½	2¹	3¹½	26.60
MARY ANN	(Gray)	119	6	2	3¹	2¹½	2hd	4½	4.50
DISCOVERY	(Breen)	115	1	5	4¹	6¹	5hd	5hd	7.60
TANDIS	(Snider)	115	2	1	1hd	1hd	1hd	6¹	2.40
PERSIAN KITTEN	(Donoso)	115	8	8	7hd	7hd	7¹	7½	16.30
AVIATION	(Kirkland)	115	9	9	8¹	8½	8³	8³	‡
ZOLA	(Knapp)	115	8	10	10²	9½	9²	9²	41.00
ALA ON	(C.Kirk)	115	10	11	11	11	11	10²	32.70
THE GIRL	(Jemas)	115	11	7	4½	10½	10½	11	23.10

†Mrs. E. duPont Weir entry. ‡A. G. Vanderbilt entry.

CHRISTMASTIDE, $7.60, $7.40, $4.80; EIREANN, $7.40, $4.80; DONNA BOORSE, $8.20.

CHRISTMASTIDE was steadied early, worked her way to the outside while improving her position and closed boldly. EIREANN, slow to begin, rallied when shaken up and was under only light pressure at the end. DONNABOORSE, well placed throughout, weakened at the end. MARY ANN had good early speed to force the pace of TANDIS and tired. DISCOVERY raced on the inside and showed a fair effort. TANDIS set the early pace but tired through the stretch run. THE GIRL flashed speed and stopped.

SIXTH RACE—The Busher. One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $5000. For 3-year-old fillies. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 4:44. Off at 4:44½. Winner, W. G. Helis' b. f. (3) by Count Gallahad—Starella II by Prince Gallahad (Eng.). Trained by A. P. Stetton. Value, $3250. Time, 1:49⅘.
†Christiana Stable entry.

Horse	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	⅝	Str.	Fin.	Straight
ARCTOS	(Mora)	112	1	3	4½	2hd	2hd	1¹	1¹	$3.00
OBEROD	(Lulio)	104	6	2	2¹	1¹	1½	2hd	2¹	11.10
ORESUSAN	(Spencer)	103	3	3	3¹	3¹	1hd	3½	3¹½	9.60
NOW AND AGAIN	(Mora)	103	4	4	4½	6½	5hd	6²	4hd	8.60
OAMROO	(Garza)	106	5	6	6¹	4¹	4¹	4¹	5¹	4.20
WITH HONOR	(Hansman)	107½	2	1	1hd	2½	3²	4½	6²	5.10
OATS	(Boston)	109	7	7	7hd	5²	6hd	7	7¹	30.70

ARCTOS, $8.00, $3.00, $2.40; OBEROD, $2.40, $2.20; ORESUSAN, $2.00.

SEVENTH RACE—One mile and a furlong. Purse, $3500. For 4-year-olds and up; fillies and mares; claiming price $5000. Start good for all but Orage. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 5:15. Off at 5:16. Winner, B. F. Christmas' br. m. (6) by Blackwood—Cajolery by Stimulus. Trained by B. F. Christmas. Value, $2275. Time, 1:56⅘.

Horse	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	⅝	Str.	Fin.	Straight
BLACK OBJECT	(Spencer)	108	10	8	8¹	7½	4½	3¹	2¹½	1¾	$7.70
HELEN DEAR	(C.Kirk)	114	7	7	7²	8¹	7½	1¹	1²	2²	5.10
GULLAH	(Howell)	115	11	11	11	11	9¹	4hd	3½	3¹	12.20
ORAGE	(Kelly)	117	8	7	6²	3¹	3¹	4½	3²	4¹	2.20
LEAVETAKING	(Prain)	112	7	10	10½	9½	7½	5½	5½	5¹	7.60
ANNE AGAIN	(Farrell)	108	9	9	9²	10½	8¹	6¹	6hd	6²	15.90
TALARIA	(Hacker)	113	4	3	3hd	7²	6⁴	7²	7²	7²	4.00
SISSIE WES	(Breen)	114	1	1	1½	1½	2²	2²	8²	8²	68.90
PROBLEM CHILD	(West)	110	3	2	4hd	3¹	5hd	9²	9²	9²	84.30
LOVE STORY	(Turner)	108	2	4	2hd	10¹	10⁴	10⁴	10⁴	10⁴	34.10
DIABLAZA	(Hansman)	113	6	6	5½½	6½	11	11	11	11	36.30

BLACK OBJECT, $17.40, $7.80, $6.00; HELEN DEAR, $6.40, $4.20; GULLAH, $5.80.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2500. For 4-year-olds and up; claiming price $3000. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went at post at 5:45. Off at 5:46. Winner, A. Holland's br. g. (5) by Knight Counsel—Dark Hour by Hourless. Trained by A. Holland. Value, $1625. Time, 1:51⅘.

Horse	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	⅝	Str.	Fin.	Straight
ELEVENTH HOUR	(Boston)	113	3	7	8¹	8¹	7½	3½	1¹	$6.20
GAMBLING ANDY	(Kelly)	122	5	2	2¹	2¹	2¹	1½	2²	2.10
TIMOTT	(Lynch)	112	10	8	9²	9²	9hd	4½	3hd	5.90
ROYAL FAVOR	(Demar)	112	1	1	1¹	1¹	1½	2²	4½	13.20
FLAG 9	(Hacker)	117	12	12	11hd	10²	8²	5¹	5¹	127.10
STROLLING LEE	(Scocca)	117	9	6	4²	4½	6¹	6²	6³	121.20
BARDY	(C.Kirk)	114	11	9	6½	5hd	5²	8²	7½	18.10
BUCK THIRTEEN	(Garza)	117	8	5	5hd	6½	7½	7hd	7½	18.10
TROOP	(Dalcour)	117	2	3	3¹	3½	4²	9¹½	8¹½	27.50
HIGH STANDARD	(Adair)	117	7	4	10²	11²	11hd	10½	10²	130.90
CHANCE FAIR	(Spencer)	117	3	10	7½	7½	10²	11	11	10.20
MISS O'LINDY	(Snider)	113	4	11	12	12	12	12	12	3.00

ELEVENTH HOUR, $13.40, $7.00, $4.00; GAMBLING ANDY, $4.40, $3.20; TIMOTT, $6.60.

Mrs. Weir's Christmastime Wins Feature at Pimlico

Pimlico, Md., May 5.—Fillies and mares—racing's fair sex—had their innings on the Monday program starting Preakness week and they provided plenty of spirited action for a crowd of 13,000.

In the $5000 added Pimlico Breeders' Stakes for 2-year-old fillies, Mrs. E. duPont Weir's colors dominated the finish. Her Christmastide was the winner, a length in front of her Eireann. The beaten off third in the rollicking field was H. C. Boorse's Donna Boorse.

The juveniles operated over a slow track and Christmastide, making the second start of her career, was clocked in :57 while backers of the entry collected a $7.60 win mutuel.

Tandis Sets Early Pace

The entry mates were not prominent in the early running. Christmastide was off in a tangle while Eireann was far back. Tandis set the early pace, accompanied by Mary Ann.

In the stretch, Christmastide rallied to get to the front and began drawing out as Eireann came on with a rush. Donna Boorse rallied gamely but then tired in the closing 20 yards.

William Helis' Arctos won by a length in the $500 The Busher, a test for 3-year-old fillies and the day's secondary feature. Jockey Frank Moon booted the daughter of Count Gallahad to the wire ahead of Oberod, half of the favored Christiana Stables entry. In third position in the field of seven came Orefield Farm's Aresusan.

Arcotos paid $8 and was clocked in 1:49 2/5 for the mile and a sixteenth.

Haight (the Horse) Wins

A. B. Hancock's With Honor set the early pace but gave way to Oresusan along the backstretch. At the far turn, Moon drove Arctos through on the inside to improve position and the filly disposed of Oresusan at the eighth pole. Oberod, never far out of it, made a bid in the last 70 yards but Arctos held her safe.

T. T. Mott's Bridlespur won the day's steeplechase. The Washington owned jumper scored by two lengths and paid a $5.80 mutuel in a four horse field.

And a bum named Walter Haight (not the Bullet Head one) took the first race in a wake-up at $23.

Suffolk Downs

1—¾; $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Flight Man	114	Ellen Valjean	109
Port Said	114	Celtics	113
Mar D'Esprit	108	Kengar	113
Daubers Girl	111	Flaming High	112
Royal Edge	108	Edgar B.	109
Handsome Bill	111	Over Lee	116
Belloda	110	Sayonara	108
Gallant Agent	109	Moon Pool	101

2—⅝; $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Charter Member	119	Rex Herod	113
Bowling Green	119	Park Heights	113
Robins Crown	119	Due Sport	122
Night Editor	122	Floataway	113
Top Boots	112	Lookout Miss	107
Money Boy	113	Leo L.	104

3—⅝; $3000; 2-year-olds; allowances.

†Mary Like	115	Easy Al	118
War Raider	118	†Connie Sam	118
Doctor Charles	118	Dauntedid	118
Careen	118		

†Mrs. T. Christopher entry.

4—¾; $3500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Free Transit	113	Yankee Raider	113
Quien Es	119	Bounding Bow	119
Marksman	113	Ring Curtain	107
Tetrafettle	109		

5—⅝; $3500; 3-year-olds; allowances.

†Rustic Broom	120	Fleet West	115
Liberty Andy	120	Becky G.	109
Buck C.	117	Flares Durbar	120
Trace Chain	117	Good Sweep	109
Stepatis	114	Franny Lou	109
Bull Tar	120	Texas Style	114
Foxwick	117	Franabe	105
Atomic Wave	120	†Sanchilla	114

†Mrs. T. and A. Holland entry.

6—Mile 70; $3500; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Count I. Q.	104	Warrior Prince	114
Lolling	113	Harsam	106
Camolino	113	Grubstake	112
Helene	111		

7—1 1-16; $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Astify	109	Fluster	109
Miss Lena	104	Valdina Rex	117
Sons Poonery	115	Lord Caprice	109
Noahvale	104	Aboyne	114

8—1 1-16; $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Is I Aint	111	Plane Spotter	109
Garden Pot	111	Bushel Basket	104
Help Sweep	111	Joes Mistake	111
Waller	120	Oakmont	111
Tacaro Pilata	104	Dudie	111
Wapan	114		

Churchill

1—¾; $1800; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Red Skipper	110	Border Scout	110
Insolate	112	Private Andy	113
Black Dragon	113	Carmelita M.	108
Altuce	118	Gold Clock	115
Sgt. Jimmy	115	Fado	110
Bolo Rita	108	Danelcum	110
Turkey Foot	113	Lois Advice	108
Devils Music	113	Intriguing	108
Fannie Mac	110	Dale Maedie	108
Parlico	115	Owen C.	115

2—1 1-16; $1800; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Anako	115	Aguilucho	117
Muzz	105	Astound	105
Allisonia	115	Lairds Cat	115
Major Attack	113	Lit	110
Nite Cries	113	Obelisk	120
Newscaster	112	Flyoma	114
Techar	120		

3—¾; $2200; 4-year-olds up; allowances.

Restriction	107	Uncle Rob	115
Director	112	Dina Belle	108
Gen. Gray	112	Benevs	111
Sweet Comet	110	Mate Me	116

4—⅝; $2000; 2-year-olds, c. & g.; allow.

Benecabe	118	Big Ditch	118
Stepin Fox	118	Lucky Champ	118
Cleverlander	113	Mr. Kitty	118
Execution	118	Shy Guy	118

5—¾; $2000; 3-year-old fillies; allowances.

Bolo Shellie	116	My Sister	116
Sharon G.	111	Glazier	111
Sweeping Witch	116	Mavadia	116
Tangled Miss	116	Suribachi	111
Delhannah	111	Mayram	116
Margaret	116		

6—1 1-16; $3000; 4-year-olds up; allowances.

Dockis	120	Uncle Mac	119
Bob Murphy	114	Stridewell	111
Dark Heather	106		

7—1 1-16; $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Paper Clip	113	Little Monarch	114
Puritan	119	Old Bet	103
Dauberup	114	Fort Schuyler	113
Roy Jay	109	Piplad	114

8—1 1-16; $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Kerrygator	120	Border Voluble	114
Away	117	Gellers Out	114
Red Spirit	117	Biddy Barton	115
Spring Dun	109	Solid Meat	120
Rich Uncle	117		

1—⅝; $2000; allowances; 2-year-olds.

Dixie Dinah, 116 (Brooks)	4.40	3.20	2.60
Sun Tavy, 116 (Scarlock)		5.00	5.00
Play Again, 111 (Mason)			6.20

†Breezy Blue, Gingerette, Mon Speed, †Dear Doggie, Romance Hill also ran. Time, 1:01⅘.
†Miss M. Dewitt Snider and Hasty Hours Farm entry.

2—¾; $1800; claiming; 4-year-olds up.

Don Devito, 110 (Peabody)	5.00	3.00	2.40
McCosh, 113

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

HENRY WALLACE'S European barnstorming trip caused some slight embarrassment among those who love him most—his immediate family.

Henry's sister is the wife of the Swiss Minister to the United States, popular Charles Bruggmann. It was behind the spacious Swiss Legation residence that Henry used to tend his vegetable garden in the days when he did not have to commute back and forth to the New Republic in New York. There has always been a close bond between Henry and his sister—still is.

But when diplomatic friends asked Mrs. Bruggmann what she thought of her brother's European speeches attacking the Truman foreign policy, Mrs. Bruggmann smiled wanly:

"Mother wishes that he'd come home," she said.

Note—Henry Wallace's mother lives in Des Moines, Iowa, and will be 80 years old next month.

Wandering Wallace

NOTES on Henry Wallace's observations abroad: England, Norway, Sweden and Denmark are just as strong against communism as the USA, but anxious to maintain friendly relations with Russia . . . European leaders told Wallace they were worried over United States support for European reactionaries. American Ambassadors mingle with extreme right-wingers rather than moderates . . . The French feel the United States Embassy in Paris is backing De Gaulle . . . Wallace said he saw no evidence of this, but nevertheless French government leaders believe it. De Gaulle started his current machinations immediately after the announcement of the Truman doctrine.

Many Frenchmen, Wallace reported, feel France is headed toward civil war. The British don't agree. They think France will pull through—despite De Gaulle's operations . . . The French are not worried about native Communists, of whom they have many, but are worried about the Russians. The middle-of-the-road parties in France, Wallace says, get along well with French Communists . . . Wallace praised British morale and self-discipline. They are determined to solve their problems . . . He spent an evening with British cabinet members in which they did all the talking; found them candid, refreshing . . . French people have more pep than the British—more militant and vigorous. Nothing decadent about them . . . Ablest leaders in France, Denmark and Norway, Wallace found, are former leaders of underground resistance . . . The Swedes are scared stiff about another war. They are afraid of a clash between the east and west, with Sweden in the intermediate battleground.

Inside the Ku Klux Klan

MINUTES of the Ku Klux Klan—Klavern No. 1, Atlanta, Ga., April 14: Because of leaks a new card-system was announced so no Pearson agents can smuggle themselves inside Klan meetings.

Each Klansman will be given a card with a number and letter, such as N-18, while each Klavern will maintain a master ledger allocating a number and letter to each Klansman's name. The ledger will be kept in strictest confidence and the Kligraff (secretary) of each Klavern will be held responsible.

Members announced with glee that if Pearson, Stetson Kennedy, or one of their agents, should present themselves in disguise at a Klan meeting they could be detected by checking the bearer's card against the master ledger—even if they gave the proper password.

Klansmen were urged to write their Senators and Congressmen to oppose the return of 5000 Negro babies from England to the United States. These are the babies born of white wives when American Negro troops were in England.

A city policeman arose to say that in one Atlanta police station a list had been posted of the fathers of these babies and he was surprised to see that hundreds of the babies were fathered by ex-Governor Ellis Arnall, Drew Pearson and Governor Thompson. The policeman kept a straight face and some of those present seemed to believe him.

Cliff Vitturs spoke at length on complaints received in several Klaverns regarding Atlanta professors and teachers making derogatory remarks about the Klan. He urged each Klansman with children attending Atlanta schools to find out the names of teachers who had talked against the Klan. Vitturs claimed he has the names of several teachers who are devoting a few minutes each day to criticizing the Klan and he proposed having them fired.

Mr. Ransom, custodian of the Candler Building, who presided as acting Exalted Cyclops in Grand Dragon Green's absence, said he believed this anti-Klan educational program is being put on without the knowledge of the school board. Ransom spoke at length on the danger of planting hate in children's minds against the Klan. If this instruction were allowed to continue, he said, it would be impossible to get the younger generation to join the Klan. This problem seemed to frighten Klansmen more than anything else that has arisen lately. They listened even more carefully than during Holt Gewinner's attack on Henry Wallace.

Horse-and-Buggy Diplomacy

BACK from Moscow, General Marshall has a lot of accumulated problems piled up on his desk. One is the important question of U. S. Ambassadors to France and Italy.

These two countries are the most vital in Europe as far as the stop-Russia campaign is concerned. For if France and Italy go Communist then all western Europe will be under the Russian thumb.

To help head off communism, the State Department wants Ambassador in Rome and Paris who have strong contacts with middle-of-the-road leaders and can help weld them together against both Fascist-Communist extremists.

At present American Ambassadors in these key posts are just the opposite. Charming Jimmy Dunn, U. S. envoy in Rome, married the Kansas City Armour millions, has spent his life in the gilded birdcage of diplomacy. Under Coolidge and Hoover his job was advising the White House on where guests should sit at dinner. During Cordell Hull's regime in the State Department, Jimmie learned to play a patient game of croquet, thus became Hull's favorite.

Away from the croquet courts in the grimy political arena of Rome he is as much out of place as a canary among sparrows—beautiful to look at but unable to forage for himself. To the American Embassy he invites the broken-down nobility of Rome, not the political leaders who can block Italian communism.

Likewise in France, cagey, likable Jefferson Caffery, an abler man than Dunn, nevertheless is completely over his head when it comes to tough French politics. He is a gracious, humor-loving diplomat of the old school, when the United States needs jet-propelled diplomacy.

Note—Instead of being absorbed with the vital problem of stopping communism in Italy, Jimmy Dunn has been much more excited over gossip that he would be appointed Ambassador to London. Mrs. Dunn promised her personal maid to Mrs. Leland Harrison, wife of the United States Minister to Switzerland, if Jimmy Dunn didn't go to London. After breathless domestic suspense, Lew Douglas became Ambassador to London and Mrs. Harrison got the maid.

Under the Dome

FORMER AMBASSADOR to Moscow Joe Davies' former chauffeur has written a highly critical book on Russia called, "Backstairs Mission to Moscow." It's the story of how the lower echelons in the Soviet Union live. . . . . The American mission to administer the Greek loan will be composed of at least 200 technicians. . . . Commerce Secretary Harriman has been meeting with top officials of the National Association of Manufacturers and the United States Chamber of Commerce to secure backing for President Truman's price-slashing program. . . . Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, head of the Presidential Council of Economic Advisers, speaks in a bare whisper, keeps his desk clean and his temper down.

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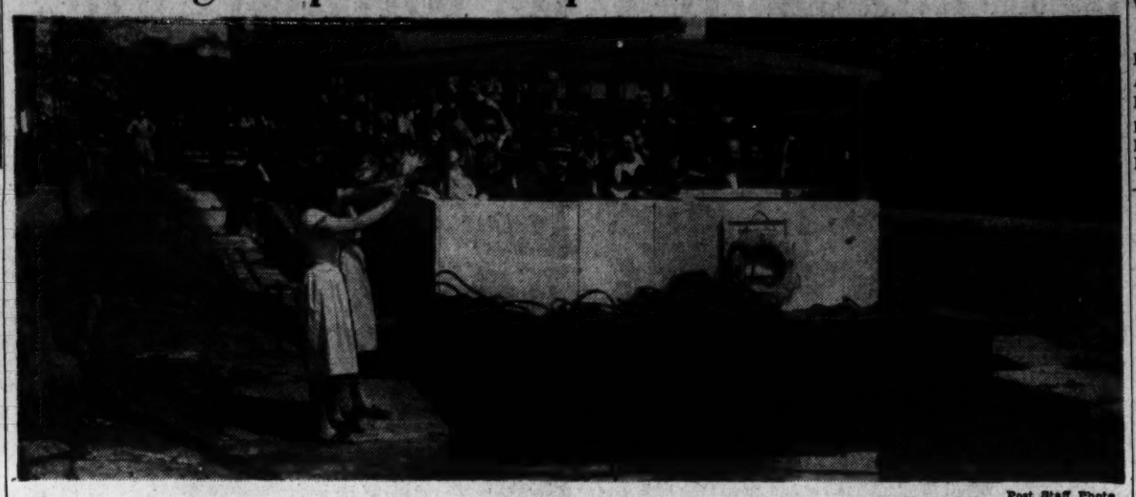
Canal Barge Trip Offers Escape From It All . . .



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NOT FOR SPEED DEMONS—The barge "Canal Clipper" has started its season, and finds plenty of customers for the 4½-mile trip along the Chesapeake & Ohio Canal. Here Rose Mary Gormley of 1058 Thomas Jefferson st. nw., and Pat Hawkins, 900 N. Frederick st., Arlington, wave to passengers as the barge passes through the first of many locks

Civil Liberties Director Differs With Wallace on Russian Attitude

Tokyo, Monday, May 5 (AP).—Roger Baldwin, director of the American Civil Liberties Union, New York City, told the Japanese press today that he disagreed with Henry A. Wallace's attitude toward Russia. He said Wallace believed "all you have to do with the Russians is lend them money, be nice to them, and gloss over the situation."

He said Wallace thought communism had the answers to the problems—and in this, he asserted, Wallace was wrong.

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THE New York Stock Exchange has just published an eye-catching ad. On a table are hats—a broad-brimmed one of the man from Texas, the denim cap the railroad fireman wears, the crushed fedora you might associate with a newspaperman, the derby of the stockbroker, the white skullcap of the house painter, the Homburg of the business man, and the hat of a naval officer.

J. A. Livingston

The title of the ad is "Stockholders' Meeting," and it says: "They come from everywhere . . . from every income group, from every community. They are women, as well as men, employes as well as executives, farmers as well as business men. They are typical stockholders, the owners of business.

"This distribution of business ownership through the whole mass of the people is an American development. A healthy and democratic development. We believe that much of the great strength of American industry derives from the depth and breadth of its ownership . . ." And so the advertisement runs on—a moving declaration of faith.

And yet, nobody—not even the New York Stock Exchange—knows just how deep down or broad across is stock ownership in the United States. All we know is that bankers and ribbon clerks are in the market along with bank presidents and industrialists. What proportion of whom is a statistical mystery.

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BEST AND most-cited example of widespread ownership is the American Telephone and Telegraph Corp. At the end of the year, 695,660 persons, corporations, colleges, institutions had a piece of it. A. T. & T. observes that "no stockholder held as much as one-half of one per cent of the total stock outstanding." However, A. T. & T. is not strictly a poor man's corporation. There are 20 million shares of A. T. & T. common; they're quoted at $166 a share. One-half of one per cent of A. T. & T. stock would be worth about 17 million dollars. A widow or orphan with such a nest-egg would be highly prized in the marriage or any other market.

Though many persons are shareholders, most are not. This is borne out by the study of liquid assets made last year by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics and the Federal Reserve Board. It showed that 24 per cent of United States families had no bank deposits or savings bonds at all; 29 per cent had less than $500 of savings. Thus, 53 per cent of the Nation's families had less than $500 saved. It's a safe guess that few of these were stockholders.

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WHAT'S MORE, the person who owns one or two shares of a stock does not identify himself with the corporation. He's strictly an absentee owner. He is gladdened by his dividends, but probably bored by the company's reports. Often, he'll not show sufficient interest to send in his proxy for the annual meeting—as the rise in proxy-gathering costs of corporations attests.

The average stockholder's main interest is his job, or law practice, or grocery store, or garage. Perhaps his union. Lower prices at the meat market probably mean more to him or his wife than the possibility of an increased dividend by General Motors or R. H. Macy & Co. The United States is still not a nation of coupon clippers or dividend collectors.

Unquestionably the Stock Exchange "ad" will ring true to big stockholders — persons who get $250 or more in dividends a year. They are more inclined to associate themselves with corporations, with private property. But it's questionable whether the "ad" will ring the bell with workers. When they are informed that business ownership has been distributed "through the whole mass of the people" they're apt to wonder first why they've been left and second who are the masses, if not they.

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PROBABLY, more Americans have a property stake in industry than British, French or Italians. And ultimately, as more and more corporations split their stocks, the distribution of ownership may increase. Yet it still seems premature to suggest that we have mass ownership of industry. Certainly we don't have mass identity with the large corporations. Indeed, we are more likely to develop a sense of ownership through profit-sharing plans than through stock ownership. For just one reason: Most persons don't save. And it takes saving—putting money aside—to own stocks. It only takes an act of the boss to say "Here, you get a piece of the profits. This is your plant, too."

Earnings Peak Passed; Trend Seen Downside

By S. Oliver Goodman

Analysis of first quarter earnings statements indicates that the peak in business earnings has been passed.

The National City Bank of New York in a quarterly earnings study said yesterday:

"Taking account of the new round of wage increases now going into effect, recent price declines and the rapid shifting in many lines from seller's to buyer's markets, there appears to be little doubt but that the peak of business earnings generally was reached in the past two quarters."

The analysis showed net earnings of the first 385 companies to report in the first quarter totaled 671 million dollars, a drop of 2 per cent from the 683 million in the last quarter of 1946 but 131 per cent ahead of the 291 million in the first 1946 period.

The study pointed out that production was adversely affected at the start of last year by strikes and conversion problems.

In the iron and steel, auto, machinery and other industries, 61 reported a shift from net deficits of 58 million dollars in the first quarter of 1946 to net income of 111 million in the latest period.

"On the other hand," the survey pointed out, "the combined net earnings of 24 mechandising companies despite an expansion in volume of sales showed a decline as compared with a year ago, reflecting growing buyer resistance to higher prices and the necessity for markdowns in order to move goods.

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Underwriters to Elect

William B. Rumple, Washington agency manager of Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., is slated to be elected president of the District of Columbia Life Underwriters Association. Rumple, veteran of 24 years in the insurance business, formerly was first vice president of the underwriters group.

Rumple

Other nominations, tantamount to election, include: Charles F. Suter, first vice president; William J. McCausland, second vice president.

Six nominees for three vacant directorships are: Albert L. Neveaux, jr., J. Mitchell Owens, Leopold V. Freudberg, Charles F. Suter, Joseph A. Marr and Chester R. Jones.

Formal election will be held Thursday in the Mayflower Hotel at the annual meeting. Guest speaker will be Harry S. Redeker, secretary of Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Co., Philadelphia.

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Gichner Gets Truck Order

Fred S. Gichner Iron Works, Inc., Washington, has been awarded a contract by the CocaCola Bottling Co. of Richmond, Va., for the manufacture of 28 motor truck bodies. Engineers of the Gichner truck body division at 24th and M sts. nw., plan to turn out the units at the rate of almost one a day.

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Three Named to Committee

Rudolph W. Santelmann, president of the District of Columbia Building and Loan League, yesterday appointed three local leaders to handle arrangements for the annual convention of the United States League in San Francisco in mid-September. Named to the committee was Clarence E. Kefauver, executive vice president of Columbia Federal Savings and Loan and a member of the national governing board, Edward C. Baltz, president of Perpetual, and Robert E. Buckley, president of the National Permanent. A large delegation from the Capital will attend the parley.

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Seaboard Outlook "Good"

Earning prospects for the year 1947 are favorable, and earnings for the first quarter of the year have been generally up to expectations, Legh R. Powell, jr., president of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad, stated in a letter accompanying the company's annual report.

Total operating revenues for 1946 amounted to $112,403,393, freight traffic accounting for $83,676,915 and passenger traffic for $21,062,299, the remainder coming from other sources. This represented an increase over 1945 of $975,848 in freight revenue and a decrease largely attributable to the decline in military traffic. The net decrease in operating revenues was $17,807,105.

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C. & O. Merger Protested

Virginia Railway Co. contended yesterday that any consolidation of the Chesapeake & Ohio and the New York Central rail systems would adversely affect other carriers operating in the area between Chicago and the eastern seaboard.

The Virginian previously asked the Interstate Commerce Commission to refuse permission for Robert R. Young and Robert J. Bowman, board chairman and president, respectively, of the C. & O., to accept directorships which they have been offered on the New York Central board.

The Virginian said in a brief filed yesterday with ICC that a merger of C. & O. and New York Central is the "ultimate purpose" of the proposed interlocking directorates.

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Earnings Statements

Yesterday's earnings reports:

Quarter to March 31—	1947	1946
Continental Oil	$6,858,706	$2,809,256
Per share	1.38	.57
Int. Silver	1,168,842	969,647
Per share	2.66	1.32
Marshall Field & Co.	2,561,902	3,561,902
Per share	1.24	1.57
Southern Pacific	10,597,744	2,561,323
Per share	2.51	.61
American Viscose	4,030,998	3,449,016
Purshare	1.82	1.83
Youngstown Sheet	7,335,749	—1,371,260
Per share	4.29	
Abbott Laboratories	2,429,787	2,825,266
Per share	1.94	1.50
3 months to March 31—		
Int. Minerals & Ch.	2,719,908	1,716,228
Per share	3.08	1.95

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By The Associated Press

Total sales, 740,000 shares; previous day, 250,000; week ago, 587,990; year ago, 1,078,340; two years ago, 1,951,070; January 1 to date revised, 90,130,820; year ago 147,222,322; two years ago, 135,669,785.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, May 5.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Chge.
30 inds.	174.62	175.08	173.54	174.21	+0.31
20 rails	45.85	46.13	45.56	45.66	—0.03
15 utils.	34.37	34.40	34.15	34.22	Unch.
65 stocks	61.56	61.92	61.33	61.54	+0.04

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 111,400; railroads, 32,660; utilities, 29,800; 65 stocks, 174,860.

	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Chg.
Abbott Lab	3	72¾	71¾	71¾	— ½
ACF-Brill Mot	3	8½	8¼	8½	
Acme Steel	2	47¾	46½	46¾	
Adams Exp	8	14¾	14⅝	14⅝	— ⅛
Adams-Millis	1	45	45	45	
Addressog-Mult	2	32	32	32	— ⅛
Admiral Corp	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	+ ⅛
Air Reduction	3	32½	32½	32½	+ ⅛
Alaska Juneau	1	4¼	4	4⅛	+ ⅛
Allegheny Corp	20	3¾	3¾	3¾	
Allegheny Ludlum	1	31⅞	31⅞	31⅞	+ ⅛
Allis Chal	18	22⅞	22⅝	22⅞	+ ⅛
Allied Chem & Dye	1	172½	172½	172½	
Allied Mills	4	32½	32½	32½	
Allied Strs	20	33½	32½	32½	— ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg	7	37⅛	33	33	— ⅝
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	3	95	94½	95	+ ½
Am Airlines	54	10¼	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
Am Bank Note	3	24½	23¾	24½	+ ⅝
Am Bank N pf	1	73½	73½	73½	—1
Am Bosch	1	11½	11½	11½	— ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	4	41¾	41	41	— ¼
Am Cable & Rad	9	8	8	8	— ⅛
Am Can	2	93	92½	93	— ⅛
Am Car & Fdy	3	45½	45⅛	45⅛	
Am Car & Fdy pf	2	105½	105½	105½	—1½
Am Ch & Chem	3	23⅛	23¼	23¼	+ ⅛
Am Colortype	4	22	21½	22	+ ⅛
Am Crystal Sug	2	22¾	22¾	22¾	+ ⅛
Am Distill	3	30	30	30	+ ⅛
Am Encaustic Tiling					
Am Export L	9	19½	19	19½	+ ⅛
Am & For Pow	6	4¼	4¼	4¼	
Am & F P pf	1	19	19	19	
Am Hide & Leather	5	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	
Am Home Prod	17	26¾	25¾	25¾	— ⅝
Am Ice	3	7¾	7½	7½	
Am International	2	10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ⅛
Am Investment	1	14	14	14	
Am Locomotive	12	23¼	23	23	— ⅛
Am M & Fdy	3	22	21¾	21¾	— ⅛
Am M & Fdy pf	1	97¼	97¼	97¼	+ ⅛
Am M & Mch	1	100¾	100¾	100¾	
Am Metal	8	30¾	30¾	30¾	+ ¼
Am News Co	5	30½	30½	30½	+ ⅛
Am Pwr & Lt	32	12⅞	12⅝	12⅝	— ⅛
Am Rad & S S	25	14¾	14½	14½	— ⅛
Am Roll Mill	3	17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Am Saf Razor	13	13	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Am Seating	3	17¾	17¾	17¾	
Am Smelt & R	5	53¾	53¾	53¾	— ¼
Am Stl Fdrs	2	30¾	30¾	30¾	+ ⅛
Am Stores	3	22	22	22	
Am Tel & Tel	23	165⅞	165⅛	165	— ⅝
Am Tob B	24	67¾	67	67	— ⅛
Am Viscose	11	47¾	46½	46½	
Am Water Wks	3	15¾	15¾	15¾	
Am Woolen	33	34¾	33¾	33¾	— ⅛
Am Wool $4 pf	1	77	77	77	+ 1½
Am Zinc Lead	7	7¾	7½	7½	
Anaconda Cop	37	36¾	36⅜	36⅜	— ⅛
Anchor H Gl	3	24¼	23¾	24¼	+ ⅛
Anderson Clay	2	54½	54½	54½	+ ⅛
Ander-Prich Oil	8	16¾	16½	16½	— ⅛
Andes Copper	0	15	15	15	
Arch-Dan-Mid	6	31¾	31¼	31¼	— ⅛
Armour & Co	10	11¾	11⅝	11⅝	
Armstrong Cork	3	44¾	44¼	44¾	
Arnold Const	1	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	— ⅛
Asso Dry Gds	8	17	16¾	16¾	— ⅛
Atch T & S F	31	105	104¾	104¾	—1
Atch T & S F pf	1	105	105	105	+1
A T F Inc	6	13¾	13⅜	13⅜	+ ⅛
Atl Coast Line	1	51	51	51	
Atl Refining	10	35	35	35	+ ⅛
Atlas Corp	1	22½	22¾	22¾	+ ⅛
Aust Nichols	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	
Autocar Co	6	23¾	23¾	23¾	
Autom Canteen	10	19¾	19½	19½	— ⅛
Avco Mfg	16	3¾	3¾	3¾	
Bald Loco	5	20¾	20½	20½	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio	18	11¾	11½	11½	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio pf	28	16⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Bangor & Aro	1	22½	22½	22½	
Barber Asph	1	21	21	21	
Barker Bros	1	20½	20½	20½	+ ⅛
Barnsdall Oil	17	24½	24½	24½	
Bayuk Cigars	2	20	20	20	
Beatrice Foods	3	44	43¾	44	+ ⅛
Beech Aire	3	7¾	7¾	7¾	
Belding-Hem	1	13¾	13¾	13¾	
Bell Aire	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	
Bell & Howell	4	24¾	24¾	24¾	
Bendix Aviat	13	33½	32½	32¾	
Benef Ind Loan	5	24¾	24¾	24¾	
Best & Co	7	29½	29	29	—1
Bethlehem Steel	7	79½	78½	78½	
Beth Steel pf	30	87	85½	85½	
Beth Steel pf	4	144¾	143¾	143¾	
Big Four Stl	1	52½	52½	52½	+ ⅛
Birming Elec	1	35¼	35¼	35¼	+ ⅛
Black & Decker	1	30	30	30	+ ⅛
Blaw-Knox	4	16	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Bliss (E W)	1	22	22	22	
Bliss (E W) pf	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	
Boeing Airplane	4	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	
Bohn Al & Brass	1	47	47	47	+ ⅛
Bond Strs	2	28	28	28	
Borden Co	12	43½	43¼	43½	+ ⅛
Borg-Warner	3	43¾	43¾	43¾	
Braniff Airw	8	10¾	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
Bridgeport Brass	3	13½	13½	13½	— ⅛
Brlyn Un Gas	14	20½	20	20½	+ ⅛
Brunswick-Balke	2	25	24	25	+ ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	3	15¾	15½	15½	+ ⅛
Budd Co	42	11½	11½	11½	— ⅛
Buffalo Forge	1	29	28	28	— ⅛
Bullard Co	1	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Bulova Watch	1	28	28	28	
Burlington	17	13¾	13½	13½	— ⅛
Burr Ltd Mach	1	7½	7½	7½	
Bush Terminal	2	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Butler Bros	9	14¾	14¾	14¾	
Butler Bros pf	1	101	101	101	
Butte Cop & Zinc	1	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	
Byers (A M)	2	17	17	17	
Callahan Z-Ld	3	2¾	2¾	2¾	
Calumet & Hecla	5	10¾	10¾	10¾	
Campbell Wyant	2	27	26½	27	+ ⅛
Can Dry G Ale	9	14	14	14	
Canad Pacific	14	11¾	11⅝	11⅝	— ⅛
Carey P & L	3	21¾	21¾	21¾	— ⅛
Carrier Corp	1	15¼	15¼	15¼	
Case (J I) Co	1	34½	34½	34½	+ ⅛
Caterpill Tractor	2	83¾	83¾	83¾	+ ⅛
Celanese Corp	21	19¾	19½	19¾	+ ⅛
Celotex Corp	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	
Cent Aguirre	6	21	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Cent Foundry	6	10	9¾	9¾	
Cen Hud G&E	4	9½	9½	9½	
Cen Ill Pubs	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	
Cent Viol Sug	2	27¼	27	27	— ⅛
Cerro de Pas	3	32	32	32	
Certain-td Prod	26	15¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Champ Paper	2	21¾	21¾	21¾	— ⅛
Checkerboard	3	13¾	13¾	13¾	
Ches & Ohio	26	45⅛	44¾	45	+ ⅛
Chicago Corp	13	8	7¾	7¾	
Chi & E I R	1	7½	7½	7½	
Chi & E I R pf	6	8	8	8	
Chi Gt West	1	10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ⅛
Chi Gt W pf	2	6¼	6¼	6¼	
Chi Ind & La	3	6¼	6¼	6¼	+ ⅛
Chi M St P & P	10	9¾	9¾	9¾	
Chi M St P pf	23	31¼	30	30	— ⅝
Chi & NW	6	19¾	19½	19½	— ⅛
Chi & NW pf	2	42¾	42¾	42¾	
Chi Pneu Tool	2	25¾	25¼	25¾	— ⅛
Chi Rel Cons	1	7	7	7	
Chrysler Corp	161	103¾	102½	103⅜	+ 1
Cin G & E	14	26	25¾	25⅞	
Cin Mill Mch	2	23½	23½	23½	
Cities Service	12	41	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
City Ice & F	1	29½	29½	29½	
City Invest	2	9½	9½	9¾	
City Stores	1	16	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Clark Equip	5	58	55	55	— ⅝
Cleve Elec Illum	43	39½	38¾	38¾	— ⅛
Climax Molyb	19	19½	18¾	19¼	+ ⅜
Clinton Ind	1	36½	36½	36½	
Cluett Peabody	1	43¾	43¼	43¼	+ ⅛
Coca-Cola	2	151¼	151¼	151¼	+ ¼
Colgate-Palm-P	12	42¾	42¾	42¾	+ ⅛
Collins & Aik	1	34¾	34¾	34¾	+ ⅛
Col Fuel & Ir	8	14¾	14½	14½	— ⅛
Col F & Ir pf	1	18¼	18¼	18¼	
Colum G & E	6	11½	11	11	— ⅛
Colum Gas	7	17¼	17¼	17¼	
Colum Carbon	7	34½	33½	33½	— ⅛
Col & So Oh E	2	43¾	43	43¼	+ ⅛
Coml Credit	4	40	39¾	39¾	— ⅛
Coml Solvents	13	24½	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Commer Solv	13	30½	30	30¼	+ ⅛
Comwith & Sou	72	3	2⅞	3	
Com & Sou pf	2	118	118	118	
Conde Nast	2	11	10¾	11	+ ⅛
Congoleum-N	3	25¾	25¾	25¾	— ⅛
Cons Coppermn	3	5	5	5	
Cons Edison	22	27	26¾	26¾	
Cons Edison pf	2	106¾	106¾	106¾	
Cons Grocers	15	14½	14	14	— ⅛
Cons Oil	1	43¼	43¼	43¼	— ⅛
Con RR Cuba pf	21	22½	22½	22½	
Cons Vultee	45	15¾	15¼	15½	— ⅛
Consum Pow	4	36¾	36½	36½	
Container Corp	9	38	38¼	38¼	+ ⅛
Cont Bak	3	15¼	15¼	15¼	— ⅛
Cont Can	13	38¾	37¾	38¼	+ ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	2	11	10¾	11	
Cont Ins	1	48¾	48¾	48¾	
Cont Motors	12	6	5¾	5¾	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	15	41¾	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
Cont Steel	1	18¾	18¾	18¾	
Cooper-Bess	3	15	14½	15	+ ⅛
Copperweld Stl	1	13¼	13¼	13¼	
Cornell-Dub El	1	23¾	23½	23½	— ⅛
Corning Glass	10	27½	27½	27½	
Coty Inc	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	
Coty Internat	8	3¾	3¾	3¾	
Crane Co	2	27	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Crown Cork pf	1	107½	107½	107½	
Crown Zellerb	17	27¾	26½	26½	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	3	79	78	78	— ⅛
Crucible Stl pf	2	82½	82½	82½	
Cuban-Am Sugar	8	16¼	16¼	16¼	
Cudahy Pack	1	39	39	39	
Cuneo Press	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Curtis Publishing	21	2¾	2¾	2¾	— ⅛
Curtis P pr pf	1	64	64	64	
Curtiss-Wright	35	8	8	8	
Curtiss-Wr A	1	17	17	17	
Cutler-Hammer	8	22¾	22½	22¾	+ ⅛
Dana Corp	1	27	27	27	+ ⅛
Davega Stores	2	16	16	16	— ⅛
Davison Chem	4	21	21	21	
Dayton P & L	8	32¾	32	32¾	
Decca Records	1	25	25	25	
Deere & Co	3	36½	36½	36½	
Deere & Co pf	1	36	36	36	+ ⅛
Del & Hudson	8	38¼	38¼	38¼	+ ⅛
Del Lack & West	6	71¼	71	71	— ⅛
Den & Rio G	11	11¼	11¼	11¼	
Detroit Edison	26	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Den & Rio G pf	6	12¾	12¾	12¾	
Det Mich Stove	3	12¾	12	12¾	+ ⅛
Det Stl Corp	2	10¾	10¾	10¾	
Devoe & Raynl A	1	24½	24½	24½	+ ⅛
Diamond Match	2	38½	38½	38½	— ⅛
Diam T Motor	1	21	21	21	
Distr Corp-Seag	36	13¾	13½	13¾	
Dixie Cup	1	28	28	28	+ ⅛
Doehler-Jarvis	1	34	34	34	
Dome Mines	4	16½	16¼	16⅜	
Douglas Aircraft	3	34½	34½	34½	
Dow Chem	15	136	135	136	+ 2½
Dresser Indust	2	17¾	17¾	17¾	
Duplan Corp	1	29	29	29	
du Pont de N	12	181½	181½	181½	+3
du Pont de N pf	1	150	150	150	
Eagle-Pich	1	11½	11½	11½	
Eastern Air L	2	22½	22½	22½	
East G & Fl	1	3½	3½	3½	
Eastman Kodak	10	153½	153	153	— ⅛
Eaton Mfg	1	49	48	49	+ ⅛
Edis Bros Stor	1	20½	20½	20½	
Elec Pwr & Lt	1	29½	29½	29½	
Elec Auto-Lite	2	30	29½	29½	— ⅛
El Bond & Sh	1	34	34	34	
El Bond & Sh pf	1	34¾	34¾	34¾	
El & Mus Ind	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	
El Power & Lt	30	15¾	15½	15½	— ⅛
Emerson El M	1	44	44	44	
Emer Radio	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	
Empire D El	1	22	22	22	
Eng Pub Serv	10	24¼	24¼	24¼	
Erie RR	37	15¾	15¼	15¼	— ⅛
Erie RR pf	1	41¾	41¾	41¾	
Eureka Vac	1	14½	14½	14½	
Evans Products	3	22¼	22¼	22¼	— ⅛
Eversharp	13	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Fairbanks Morse	4	51¼	51	51	+ ⅛
Fajardo Sugar	9	25¾	25¼	25¼	+ ⅛
Farns Tel & Rad	6	6¾	6¾	6¾	
Fed Lt & Trac	2	22¾	22¾	22¾	
Fed Mogul	1	46	46	46	
Fed Mot Truck	9	11¾	11	11¾	+ ⅛
Federal D Strs	7	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Felt & Tarr Mf	1	21¾	21¾	21¾	
Ferro Enam	2	22¼	22¼	22¼	— ⅛
Fid P Fire Ins	5	53¼	51¼	53¼	+1½
Firestone T & R	13	52¼	51¾	51¾	+ ⅛
First Nat Strs	2	65	63¾	65	+1
Firth Carpet	3	17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Flintkote	10	28¾	28½	28½	— ⅛
Florida Pow	2	15¾	15¾	15¾	
Follansbee Stl	29	20	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Food Fair Strs	3	22	22	22	
Food Machinery	3	76½	76½	76½	+ ⅛
Foster Wheeler	3	24¼	23¾	24¼	+ ⅛
Francisco Sugar	3	18	18	18	
Freeport Sulph	4	42¾	42½	42¾	
Frouhauf Tra	6	29	29	29	— ⅛
Gabriel Co	1	13	13	13	
Gair (Robert)	7	6¾	6¾	6¾	
Gair (Robert) pf	2	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Galvin Mfg	8	10½	10½	10½	+ ⅛
Gamewell Co	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	9	6½	6¾	6¾	+ ⅛
Garland Coal	3	16¾	16¼	16¾	+ ⅛
Gen Am Invest	10	13¾	13¾	13¾	
Gen Am Trans	2	53¼	52¾	53¼	+ ⅛
Gen Baking	3	10¾	10¾	10¾	
Gen Bronze	3	14	14	14	+ ⅛
Gen Cable	18	10¾	10½	10½	— ⅛
Gen Cigar	1	26½	26½	26½	— ⅛
Gen Elec	45	35½	35¼	35¼	— ⅛
Gen Foods	4	41¾	41¾	41¾	— ⅛
Gen Instrument	1	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	— ⅛
Gen Mills	3	45	45	45	+ ⅛
Gen Motors	204	60¾	59¾	59¾	+ ⅛
Gen Motors pf	3	126	125¾	126	
Gen Mot pf	1	104½	104½	104½	
Gen Out Adv	4	16	15¾	16	— ⅛
Gen Pres Ey	4	19¾	19	19	
Gen Pub Util	89	14¾	13¾	14¾	— ⅛
Gen Ry Signal	2	34¾	34¾	34¾	+ ⅛
Gen Real & Util	7	4½	4	4½	
Gen Shoe	4	30¾	30	30	
Gen Tel	6	24	23¾	24	+ ⅛
Gen T & Rub	2	29¼	29	29	
Gillette Saf R	30	29¾	29¾	29¾	+ ⅛
Gimbel Bros	17	30	29¾	30	+ ⅛
Glidden Co	7	36¾	36¼	36¼	— ⅛
Gobel Brew	2	5	5	5	
Goodall-Sanf	3	25¼	25¼	25¼	
Goodrich (BF)	5	51¾	50¾	50¾	— ⅝
Goodyear T & R	16	51¼	50¾	50¾	— ⅛
GoodyearT&Rpf	1	107¼	106¾	106¾	— ⅛
Graham-Paige	31	4	3¾	4	
Gray Drug Strs	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	
Granite City Stl	10	16¾	16	16¾	+ ⅛
Grant (WT)	2	28¾	28¾	28¾	+ ⅛
Grayson-Robin	2	9¾	9	9	— ⅛
Gt Nor Ir Ore	3	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
Gt Northn Ry pf	10	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Gt West Sug	3	24½	24½	24½	+ ⅛
Green (HL)	5	63½	63½	64	+ ½
Greyhound Corp	22	30¾	30¾	30¾	+ ⅛
Grum Aire En	2	21¾	21¾	21¾	
Guantan Sugar	2	5½	5½	5½	— ⅛
Gulf Mob & Oh	1	9½	9½	9½	— ⅛
Gulf Mob & Ohio pf	1	25	25	25	
Gulf Oil	11	62¼	61¾	62¼	+ ⅛
Hamil Watch	4	15½	15½	15½	
Harb-Walker	2	22¾	22¾	22¾	
Hart Sch & M	2	32½	32	32	+ ⅛
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STEVE CANYON

DELTA'S ADDRESS? HOW DID YOU GET IT, FEETA-FEETA?
WHAT DO YOU THINK I DO WITH MY TIME WHILE YOU'RE OUT ON TRIPS, MR. CANYON?
YOU PROBABLY READ DETECTIVE STORIES AND LEARN HOW TO FIND MISSING WOMEN!
NO-I'VE LEARNED TO KNOW SOME PEOPLE, INCLUDING DETECTIVES-SO I DON'T BECOME A MISSING WOMAN MYSELF!
THAT'S VERY SENSIBLE!
WHY THE GROAN?.. DON'T YOU FEEL WELL?
MEANWHILE....
GOOD MORNING, DELTA... THE BOYS TELL ME YOUR STEVE CANYON SEEMS JUST THE MAN TO HAUL OUR OIL WELL MACHINERY
MY STEVE CANYON? MY SHANGRI-LA! MY POT OF GOLD! "A MAN'S REACH SHOULD EXCEED HIS GRASP, OR WHAT'S A HEAVEN FOR?..."
I TELL YUH D' DAME'S NUTS!

JOE PALOOKA

JUNE, YOU'VE BROUGHT A GREAT JOY TO OUR HOUSE. I HOPE YOU'RE GOIN' T'STAY ON WITH US.
YOU DON'T KNOW HOW HAPPY I AM TO BE WITH YOU, MR. OGILVIE. YOU AND MRS. OGILVIE ARE JUST THE SWEETEST PEOPLE... IN... IN... THE WORLD.
JUNE, WOULD YOU MIND CALLING ME DAD... IT SOUNDS BETTER THAN MR. OGILVIE...
OH, THANK YOU... DAD.
NOW THEN, HONEY, HAND ME THE CAN OF PAINT. I SHOULDA TOUCHED UP THIS SHUTTER LONG AGO.
DAD, I WISH YOU'D LET ME DO THE PAINTING. THAT LADDER SEEMS A BIT SHAKY.

MICKEY FINN

LET'S GO BACK TO THE CLUB CAR, SERGEANT!
YOU GO AHEAD, PHIL-I'LL STAY HERE AND REST UP FOR OCEAN CITY!
I'M AFRAID SERGEANT HALLIGAN IS GETTIN' OLD! HMM-I WONDER IF ANY OF THESE GUYS ARE DELEGATES?
WELL, I'LL SOON FIND OUT!
Reg. U. S. Pat. Office McNaught Syndicate, Inc.

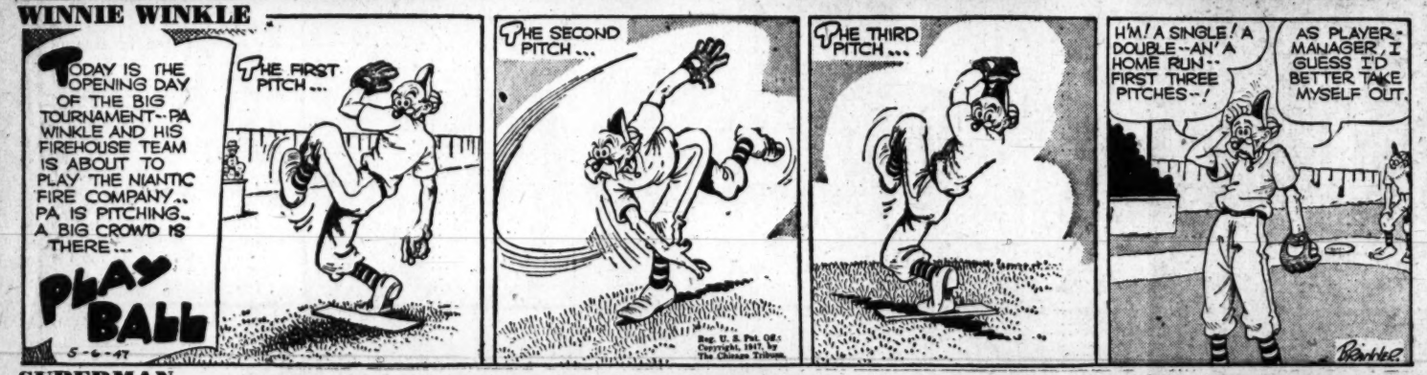
PENNY

THIS IS A FINE HOUR TO BE COMING HOME! HOW DO YOU EXPECT TO GET YOUR REST?
I'M SORRY, MOTHER, I COULDN'T HELP IT.
WHAT HOMEWORK HAVE YOU TO DO?
I HAVE TO WRITE A COMPOSITION ON "MY VISIT WITH MY AUNT" I'LL DO IT RIGHT AWAY.
HAENIGSEN
DON'T TELL ME YOU'VE FINISHED ALREADY!
WELL, YES, MOTHER, IT'S OVER ON THE DESK.
My Visit with my Aunt By Penny Pringle
I went to visit my aunt but she wasn't home. The End

MARY WORTH

YOU SAY I CAN'T WRITE ROMANCE BECAUSE I'VE NEVER... QUOTES... KNOWN LOVE.. UNQUOTE! LISTEN, YOU SMIRKING CHIMPANZEE, MY DATE BOOK ISN'T ALL BLANK PAGES!
I CAN TAKE MEN OR LEAVE 'EM ALONE.. AND THE LATTER IS MUCH EASIER! I REFUSE TO BELIEVE THAT A WOMAN'S LIFE IS INCOMPLETE TILL SHE'S BEEN EXPOSED TO A TOBACCO BREATH, A CHIN LIKE A WIRE BRUSH AND THE MANNERS OF A BULGARIAN PEASANT!
I'VE FOUND THE MALE IN GENERAL.. AND YOU IN PARTICULAR, MR. MASON.. A VASTLY OVERRATED ANIMAL...!
5-6-47

WINNIE WINKLE


TODAY IS THE OPENING DAY OF THE BIG TOURNAMENT.. PA WINKLE AND HIS FIREHOUSE TEAM IS ABOUT TO PLAY THE NIANTIC FIRE COMPANY.. PA IS PITCHING.. A BIG CROWD IS THERE...
PLAY BALL
THE FIRST PITCH...
THE SECOND PITCH...
THE THIRD PITCH...
H'M! A SINGLE! A DOUBLE--AN' A HOME RUN-- FIRST THREE PITCHES--!
AS PLAYER-MANAGER, I GUESS I'D BETTER TAKE MYSELF OUT.
5-6-47

SUPERMAN

READ ALL ABOUT IT, GIRLS! IT MAY BE YOU!
DAILY PLANET
MILLIONAIRE PRINCE CHARMING SEEKS TELEPHONE CINDERELLA
BEGINS NATION-WIDE SEARCH FOR "MISS WHISPER"!
GIVE ME ONE!
I'LL TAKE ONE!
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THE WHOLE EDITION SOLD OUT IN AN HOUR! THE WOMEN STAMPEDED THE NEWSSTANDS!
PERRY WHITE
WHICH MEANS THERE MAY BE TROUBLE AT DEXTER'S PLACE! I'D BETTER GET THERE-FAST!

DOTTY

THE DISTRICT LINE

by W. E. G.

TOKEN PUNISHMENT?

Would you say that the fellows accused of stealing $10,000 worth of tokens from Capital Transit will get a fare trial?

VARIATIONS ON A THEME

Thomas H. Graham, of 701 South Fillmore st., Arlington, Va., is the latest to claim priority to the baby announcement format reported here recently.

(Not having given birth to any babies recently, I seem to be behind the times in this field.)

The arrival of Tom, jr., was announced by Tom, sr., in much the same manner employed by the Shockeys and the Higbies. But the announcement did have a couple of different items.

Tom, jr.

"Headlights" on the new model were listed as "blue," the "wheelbase" was computed at 20½ inches, and the "finish" was "red."

From the picture, it's obvious that Tom, jr., has changed somewhat since he left the production line in 1944.

STRIKING THE COLORS

Edythe L. Morgan, of 4007 Warren st. nw., observes that long distance service isn't the only thing that's been affected by the phone strike.

The man who used to raise the flag over the Woodley exchange each day appears to be one of those on the picket line.

Miss Morgan wonders whether any of the nonstrikers could find the time to continue the worthwhile practice of displaying the flag.

WELCOME, STRANGER

Mrs. Max Sittenfeld, of 2500 Q st. nw., furnishes further evidence that Washington hackers are a strange and wonderful breed.

Eudice Shapiro and Vivian Rivkin had just arrived in Washington, and hailed a cab. The driver was one of those friendly characters who very quickly gets chummy with strangers.

"If you like good music," he counseled, "you ought to drop around to the National Gallery Sunday. They're going to have a free concert."

The girls assured him they'd be on hand—and they were. (They came here to give that concert).

EXPLANATION

Ordinarily, I don't pay much attention to anonymous letters, but "Constant Reader" raises a point which should probably be answered.

He says I used a very old story when I printed the item about the woman who offered to hold her finger on the horn button while the angry motorist got her car started.

According to the complaint, this story has been in "all humorous columns during the past year, and even appeared in Reader's Digest recently."

Perhaps it did, but I didn't see it—and I can't read every publication in America.

The item came to me from a District Liner in the National Symphony, and was printed in good faith. If we hit a clinker every so often, I hope you'll understand—and forgive.

OF ALL THINGS

The latest wrinkle in advertising is being used by an H st. electrical contracting firm.

When it corresponds with prospective customers, it makes deliberate typographical errors on the envelope, and then adds a line beneath which says:

"We're better electricians than we are typists; try us."

CORRECTION

The other day I mentioned that I kept the House and Senate office buildings straight by remembering that a car line ran past the House side but the august Senators rode cabs. But it's pretty hard to catch District Liners napping.

Thomas Bowline postcards: "Take a trip up to the Hill and you'll find two streetcar lines running past the Senate Office Building."

M. W. C., of the Assessor's office in the District Building, writes: "Three car lines go past the Senate side. They are Nos. 90, 20 and 40."

Dot Prince, of 1340 Otis pl. nw., agrees with the others and adds: "Sometimes I think you plant these mistakes just to see if anybody will write in." (Thanks for the compliment, but this was really a boner.) "However, the only time I had business up there, I took a cab—so I forgive you."

John F. Hansen, a former cab driver, also points out my mistake and adds that as far as the hackers are concerned, some of the Senators are no bargain, and they can ride those car lines. He says:

"The gentleman from California, Mr. McAdoo, lived at the Shoreham, and rode to his office in a cab. He'd usually suggest to the driver that it was a very nice day, so why not go through the park instead of down Connecticut ave. On getting out, he'd say, 'Well, son, here's an extra dime for you. It's only one mile further going through the park.'"

Grin and Bear It

"The board of trustees said they'd consider my request for a raise, but in the meantime to remember that 'Blessed are the meek'!"

Life's Darkest Moment

HERE, MOTHER, HAVE ONE OF THESE CHOCO-LATES
MY, THEY LOOK GOOD! NOW, DON'T LET ME EAT TOO MANY OF THEM
THE CANDY HE SENT TO THEIR DAUGHTER

The Bridge Deck

By Florence Osborn

In today's deal at spades declarer can count to take 12 tricks by seeing the North hand as declarer, planning to run the clubs on a 2-2 drop, ruffing two hearts in South and giving up one. This plan succeeds against even a 4-1 trump split.

Declarer has to use two top clubs at once, so later he has to provide against a club block from the South hand. This he does nicely by tossing two clubs from South on two spade leads from dummy, and his problems are solved. Here is the trick-by-trick play:

Declarer wins the diamond ace and trumps a heart. He cashes two top trumps, leads a club to the ace and trumps a second heart. Next he plays a club to dummy's king and cashes the 10 and 9 of trumps, discarding his last two clubs. Then declarer can run dummy's remaining three clubs and concede a heart at the end for the small slam at spades.

Today's Hand

Neither Side Vulnerable
WEST DEALER

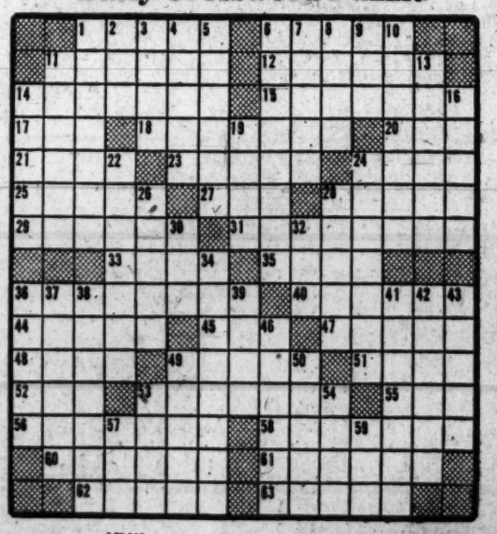
	♠ 10932 ♡ KJ3 ◇ A ♣ AK654	
♠ 8764 ♡ 9654 ◇ 1054 ♣ Q2	NORTH WEST EAST SOUTH	♠ 5 ♡ AQ108 72 ◇ K932 ♣ J3
	♠ AKQJ ♡ None ◇ QJ876 ♣ 10987	

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	4 ♣
Pass	5 ♠	Pass	6 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: 10 ◇.

Daily Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Humbug
6 Holding device
11 Spreals over
12 Betokens
14 Glass water bottles
15 Calumniate
17 Fortify
18 Instructor
20 Mill pond
21 Stimulus
23 Novices.
24 At this place
25 Purposive
27 Salt
28 Dull-witted person
29 Chief item
31 Clergyman
33 Sculls thoroughly
35 Search
36 Anticipation
40 Affluence
44 Distresses
45 Three-toed sloths
47 Trap
48 Succulent plant
49 Progress
51 Twofold
52 Obstinate
53 Benefactors
55 Small bunch of hay
56 Learned
58 Fireworks
60 Undercover shooter
61 Lags behind
62 Exploits
63 Transmits

DOWN

1 Fixed method
2 Grapelike fruit
3 Skillful
4 Welcome
5 Attempts
6 Universal
7 Entices
8 Culture medium
9 Abusive and malicious remarks
10 Highly sensible
11 Floor covering
13 Uncommon
14 Gives, as a vote
16 Mahometan ruler
19 Satiate
22 Retort quickly
24 Manage with frugality
26 Strikes vigorously
28 Silver coins
30 Before
32 Forthwith
34 Disperses
36 Transitory state
37 Sovereigns
38 Pompous
39 Layer
41 Honors
42 Characterisitics
43 Assists
46 Pastimes
49 Cloyed
50 Sleep noisily
53 Bird's call
54 Scrutinize
57 Expire
59 Young goat

Solution to Saturday's Puzzle

T	O	L	E	R	A	N	C	E		S	H	A
A	N	O	N	Y	M	O	U	S		P	U	R
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	C	O	D	A		E	R	R		T	R	U
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D	E	A	D	A	G	E		M	A	R		E
R	O	V	E	R		I	N	D	U	L	G	E
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TERRY AND THE PIRATES

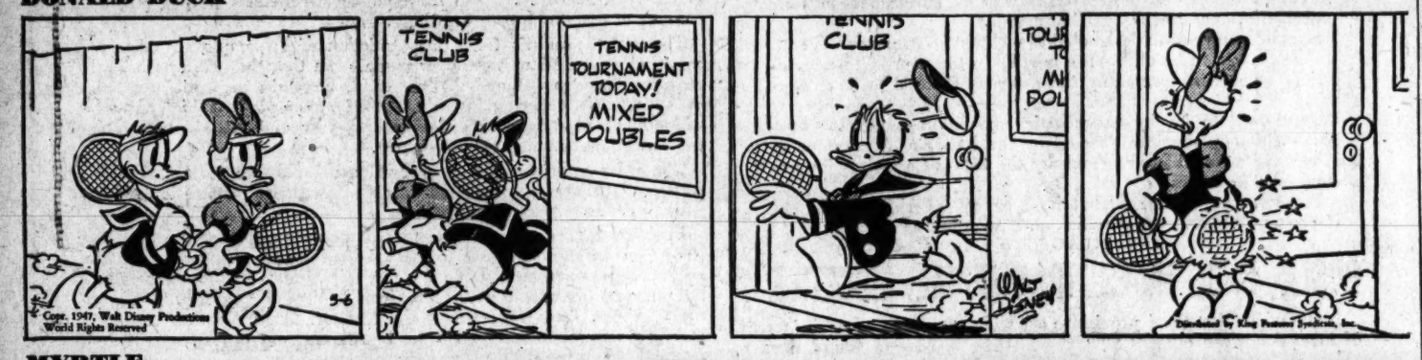
YOU MEAN THE MAN YOU SAW LEAVE ERMINE'S APARTMENT LOOKED LIKE THIS PORTRAIT?
RIGHT! OLD COUNT THEODORE BOR OVERRAN THIS COUNTRY AND RULED IT WITH AN IRON HAND UNTIL AN ASSASSIN'S DAGGER STOPPED HIM. THREE HUNDRED YEARS AGO. BUT SUBSTITUTE A HOMBURG FOR THAT WIG AND HE COULD BE ERMINE'S GENTLEMAN FRIEND.
FOR THE LUVVA PETE! THAT'S FANTASTIC.
HOLD THAT SURPRISED LOOK A MINUTE — THERE'S MORE YET. YOU'LL REMEMBER I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR THE HUSTLER WHO'S BEEN BUYING BITS OF INFORMATION FROM THE SMALL FRY SPIES AROUND TOWN...
WELL, THIS REPORT FROM MY UNDERCOVER SQUAD IDENTIFIES HIM AS — I QUOTE... 'AN EXTREMELY FAT MAN'...UNQUOTE!... AND THE JOKER I SAW LEAVE ERMINE'S FLAT LAST NIGHT WAS BUILT LIKE AN OVERINFLATED BASKETBALL.

WAHOO AND STEVE ROPER

SURE! IT COULD BE A NOBLE GESTURE, SONNY---ALI BABOON PLAYING RICKSHA BOY FOR CUPCAKE!--BUT I'D AS SOON SEND MY SWEETHEART FOR A PROMENADE WITH A PANTHER!
WRESTLERS GET PAID FOR LOOKING MEAN, STEVE! BUT DON'T LET IT FOOL YOU---- THEY'VE GOT BIG HEARTS!
I HEAR WATER, MISTER BABOON! WHERE ARE YOU TAKING ME?
THEY CALL THIS "CANOPY ROCK," MISS DEVINE! SWELL VIEW, HUH?--- AN' A FINE BREEZE OFF THE RIVER--WE'LL COME HERE OFTEN!

DIXIE DUGAN

DONALD DUCK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MYRTLE

I WISH YOU'D TALK TO MYRTLE. SHE'S BEEN IN MY HAIR ALL DAY LONG!
I SUPPOSE YOU THINK IT'S FUN TO GO DOWN TO THE OFFICE!
AND I SLAVE OVER THIS HOT NEST ALL DAY AND WHAT DOES IT GET ME?
WHO BRINGS YOU WORMS AND CATERPILLARS?
I STILL SAY US BACHELORS ARE SMART!
CHECK!
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OZARK IKE

TWO RUNS ARE ACROSS!
LOOK!...HE'S DIGGIN' FOR THIRD!
WHUTTA CALAMITY... AN' IN TH' TENTH INNIN!
SAFE!
...AND WITH ONLY ONE AWAY, THE NEXT BATTER PULLS A DRIVE DOWN THE THIRD-BASE LINE...

MARK TRAIL

JUST WAIT TILL I TELL LARRY HOW THAT BIG APE TREATED ME!
HI, MARK... WHERE'S MERIDY?
SHE WENT HOME IN A TIZZY OVER SOMETHING!
SAY, ANDY'S TEASING THAT BIG 'GATOR AGAIN... YOU'D BETTER GO GET HIM!
ANDY! STOP THAT! KEEP AWAY FROM THAT 'GATOR... UNDERSTAND?

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

THAT RIDER CAN'T LIE, BOSS!
I'M GOING TO SLIP INTO SOME COVER-ALLS, IGOR... HE MUSTN'T RECOGNIZE ME AS "BOSS" JENNY!
I'LL ACT AS A DECOY WHILE YOU GET HIM!
THIS WAS PERFECT TIMING! IT WON'T BE LONG BEFORE I KNOW WHO HAS BEEN FRAMING ME!

Today's Radio Programs

THE WASHINGTON POST
Tuesday, May 6, 1947

TUESDAY — WASHINGTON — E.S.T.

	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	News, 6, 7, 8:30. Today's Prelude, 6:05. Town Clock, 7:10, 8, 8:35. David Wills, 7:45	WRC Almanac, 5:30 News, 6, 7, 7:30, 8, 8:30 Bill Herson, 6:05-9 Weather, 6:30	News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8. Art Brown, 6:05-9:30.	WINX News, 6, 7, 8. Hugh Guidi, Wake Up with WINX 6:05-9.	Hunnicutt, 6-9:30. News, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8:15. Devotions, 6:45.	Corn Squeezin's 5:30-7:30. News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30. CBS World News, 8. Jenkin's Sundial, 7:45-9.
9 :00	Breakfast Club	Katie's Daughter	Musical Clock with Art Brown	News; Symphony	Mike Hunnicutt	News; Mahoney
:15	Don McNeil	Nancy Osgood	Say It With Music	Romeo and	Alice Lane	Arthur Godfrey
:30	Jack Owen	Road of Life	" " "	Juliet	" "	" "
:45	Sam Cowling	Joyce Jordan	" " "	Overture	Open House	Home Service Daily
10 :00	My True Story	Fred Waring	News, Cecil Brown	News; Band Stand	(Les Sands)	David Harum
:15	" " ; Crocker	" "	Tell Your Neighbor	" "	" "	Heritage
:30	Betty Crocker Mag.	Jack Berch Show	Spice in Life	" "	Tune Inn	Evelyn Winters
:45	The Listening Post	Lora Lawton	(Marian Sexton)	" "	(Norman Gladney)	Janice Gray
11 :00	Breakfast in Hol'w'd	News; To Music	Cliff Edwards	" "	" " "	
:15	" " "	To Music	Musical Comedy Quiz	" "	" " "	News, Vern Hanson
:30	Ruth Crane	Nany Osgood	Heart's Desire	" "	" " "	You're the Top
:45	" "	Tin Pan Ballet	" "	" "	" " "	Grand Slam
12 :00	News, Evans	News; Brinkley	Victor Lindlahr	NEWS ROUNDUP	Tello Test	Rosemary
:15	Ted Malone	Look to This day	Checkerb'd Jamb'roo	Midday Star Time	Man on the Street	Kate Smith Speaks
:30	Kenny Baker Show	Art Van Damme	Ray Henle	Luncheon Music	News: Music	Aunt Jenny
:45	" " "	Robert McCormick	Tableau by Brito	The Latin Touch	Bing Crosby	Romance Helen Trent
						Our Gal Sunday
1 :00	Baukhage Talking	Today's Children	Queen for a Day	News; Symphony	All Sports Parade	Big Sister
:15	Hollywood Story	Woman in White	" " " "	Elgar's	Tony Wakeman	Ma Perkins
:30	V-Living; Accent	Masquerade	Harlem Hospitality	Symphony No. 2	All Sports Parade	Young Dr. Malone
:45	on Music	Light of the World	Club	(Boult)	Tony Wakeman	Road of Life
2 :00	Walter Kiernan	Life Can Be Beautiful	Albert Warner, News	News; Melodic Mom'ts	All Sports Parade	Second Mrs. Burton
:15	Ethel and Albert	Ma Perkins	At Union Station	" "	Tony Wakeman	Perry Mason
:30	Bride and Groom	Pepper Young's Family	Smile Time	Swing Serenade	All Sports Parade	Lone Journey
:45	John Nelson	Right to Happiness	Jackie Hill Show	" "	Tony Wakeman	Rose of My Dreams
3 :00	Ladies Be Seated	Backstage Wife	Easy Listening	News; Carnival of	All Sports Parade	Aunt Mary
:15	" " "	Stella Dallas	(Bob Knight)	" "	Tony Wakeman	Dr. Paul
:30	Accent on Music	Lorenzo Jones	" "	Music	All Sports Parade	Date with Jerry
:45	Pursuit of Happiness	Young Widow Brown	" "	" "	Tony Wakeman	Frank Parker Show
4 :00	Tommy Bartlett	President Aleman's	Aleman's Arrival	News; Bandwagon	All Sports Parade	Hint Hunt
:15	Accent on Music	Arrival	Moods in Music	Broadway Bandwagon	Tony Wakeman	" " ; News
:30	News, Evans	Just Plain Bill	" " "	Music Hall	All Sports Parade	House Party
:45	Accent on Music	Front Page Farrell	Adventure Parade	" "	Tony Wakeman	" "
5 :00	Terry & the Pirates	News; Leif Eld	Hop Harrigan	News; Music Hall	Band of the Day	News, Severeid
:15	Sky King	Freddie Martin Orch.	Superman	Music Hall	Battle of Crooners	Crosby Classics
:30	Jack Armstrong	Brinkley; Bergman	Capt. Midnight	" "	Sports; Theater of	" "
:45	Tennessee Jed	Lowell Thomas	Tom Mix	" "	the Air	Robert Trout; News
6 :00	Evans, Agronsky	Supper Club	News, Warner, Brott	NEWS ROUNDUP	News; Melody Lane	The Factfinder
:15	Stardust, Sports	World News	Art Brown	Bob Wolff, Sports	Melody Lane	News, Local and C.V.
:30	Earl Godwin	Portraits in Music	Johnson Family	Music Hall	Sports, Wakeman	Sports, Gallaher
:45	Singing Sam	Flower Time	Inside of Sports	" "	Supper Club	In My Opinion
7 :00	Louise Massey	Milton Berle Show	Fulton Lewis, jr.	News; Music Hall	Popular Tunes	Mystery of the West
:15	Elmer Davis	" " "	Man Behind Band	" "	Alfred Newman	Jack Smith Show
:30	Wonder Flame	A Date With Judy	The Falcon	" "	Mark Austad, News	American
:45	" "	" " "	" "	" "	Berger; Vandercook	Melody Hom
8 :00	Lum 'n' Abner	Amos and Andy	Gabriel Heatter	News; Popular Piano	Panning the Press	Big Town
:15	Bobby Doyle Show	" "	Real Life Stories	Meet Your Congress	Army Band	" "
:30	Boston Pops Orch.	Fibber McGee & Molly	American Forum	" "	News; 1450 Club	Mel Blanc Show
:45	" " "	" " "	of the Air	" "	Jackson Lowe	" " ; News
9 :00	" " "	Bob Hope	" "	News; Symphony Hour	1450 Club	Vox Pop
:15	" " "	" "	Vic Damone Show	Tschaikowsky's	Jackson Lowe	" "
:30	Barbed Wire Sky	Red Skelton	International Quiz	Piano Concerto	News; 1450 Club	Topaze
:15	" " "	" "	" " "	(Horowitz)	Jackson Lowe	" "
10 :00	Hon. War. R. Austin	News; Show Pieces	Richard Eaton	Post Preview	What's the Law?	" "
:15	" "	Show Pieces	Sports, Brundige	Music	" "	" "
:30	Voices in the Eve.	To Be Announced	National Moondial	Music For Dreaming	" "	Open Hearing
:45	Tell Me, Doctor	" "	(Art Brown)	" " "	News; Juke Box Rev.	" "
11 :00	News; Evans	News; Music	Voice of Washington	News and Sports	1450 Club	News, Collingwood
:15	Hour of Dreams	Harkness of Wash	Fulton Lewis, jr.	Dance Serenade	Jackson Lowe	Sports, McDonald
:30	Lee Dayton	Design for Listening	Sweet Music	" "	News; 1450 Club	Moondial
:45	Ray Michael	" " "	" " ; News	" "	Jackson Lowe	(Eddie Gallaher)

TODAY'S RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

Tchaikovsky's Piano Concerto No. 1 played by Howowitz and the NBC Symphony under Toscanini. WOQW—10 a. m.

Dean Lawson of Howard University is interviewed, and recorded selections by the Howard choir are played. WOQW—3 p. m.

Should all Coops Pay Federal Income Taxes?—Karl D. Loos, Farmer Cooperatives; Senator George Aiken; Ben McCabe, Tax Equality Association, and Representative Robert A. Grant. Open forum at the Shoreham Hotel. WOL—8:30 p. m.

"Topaze," comedy about a French schoolteacher turned grafter. WTOP—9:30 p. m.

Paul Muni, John Garfield, Sylvia Sidney and Edward G. Robinson appear in "The Barbed Wire Sky" for United Jewish Appeal. WMAL—9:30 p. m.

World Stability Through the United Nations is subject of address by Warren R. Austin, U. S. delegate to the U. N. Security Council. WMAL—10 p. m.

How to Reduce Prices and Cost of Living—Senator Joseph McCarthy and Representative Albert Gore. WTOP—10:30 p. m.

Chopin's Etudes played by Kilyeni. Dvorak's Concerto in B minor with Piatigorsky, cello soloist, and the Philadelphia Orchestra. WINX—12:05 a. m.

WQQW 570

7:00 a.m. Good Morning
7:45 a.m. News, Ray Wilson
8:00 a.m. Rosenkavalier Suite
8:55 a.m. News
9:00 a.m. Music Room
9:30 a.m. Shopping Service
9:40 a.m. Concert Hall
10:00 a.m. Piano Concerto
11:00 a.m. A Woman's World
11:30 a.m. Sing Something Simple
11:45 a.m. Instrumentally Yours
11:55 a.m. News
12 noon Chopiniana
1:00 p.m. News and Opinion
1:15 p.m. Folk Music
1:30 p.m. South American Music
1:45 p.m. Chapter-a-Day
2:00 p.m. Familiar Music
2:45 p.m. Piano Interlude
2:55 p.m. News
3:00 p.m. Speaking of Music
4:00 p.m. Debussy's Sonata
4:55 p.m. News, Paul Martin
5:00 p.m. Afternoon Musicale
5:30 p.m. Cafe Continental
5:55 p.m. News
6:00 p. m. Pops Concert; News
7:00 p.m. Dinner Music

FM

WINX-FM 92.9 and 44.7
WINX-FM duplicates WINX programs between 9 a. m. and 11:15 p. m., except for "Dinner Concert" at 6:30.

WWDC-FM 100.9
WWDC-FM duplicates WWDC programs between 7:30 and 11 p. m. except for music at 8:35.

WASH-FM 98.9
WASH-FM operates from 12:45 to 11 p. m. Ad Club Lunch 1:15. News 4:15. British news, 7:30, 930. Children's story 5:15. Here's to Veterans, 6:45. Weather, 2:55, 7:55, 11. Music, 3, 4:30, 7:45, 8, 9, 9:45.

Portraits

By James J. Metcalfe

TOO QUICK TO JUDGE

Some people are too quick to judge . . . And eager to condemn . . . The faults of others that they feel . . . Do not belong to them . . . They think they are so righteous in . . . Their attitude toward life . . . And that they know the only way . . . To settle every strife . . . But if the truth were known, perhaps . . . Their sins would be the same . . . And some of them might even have . . . A greater cause for shame . . . In any case there is the fact . . . That they are doing wrong . . . By trying to advise the world . . . How it should get along . . . They should not be so quick to judge . . . Or eager to condemn . . . Because some day a judgment may . . . Be catching up with them.

Reader Service

Follow 3 Easy Steps

So you're skeptical about slip covers made at home? Well, it can be done—and by you!

There are no patterns to cut—the material is draped right on the chair. If you choose a figured fabric, make sure the central motif comes exactly in the center of the inside back, and on the center of the cushion.

Now pin the material along the top edge and the sides of the chair. Allow about 4 inches for a tuck-in between the inside back and the seat. Cut 1½ inches outside pin lines to allow for seams. Pin and cut in the same way the arms, back, front and other sections.

Send 25c (coin) for "Making Slip Covers Successfully" to The Washington Post, Reader Service, 243 West 17th st., New York 11, N. Y. Print name, address, booklet title and No. 35.

It's About Time

By Dolores Boland

It's About Time to combine costume jewelry pins and rings to make a conversation-piece bracelet. Large settings from rings and rather small pins of round or oval design. An old chain necklace can be used for double chain which holds sections or bracelet.

Just Hearsay

"My first beau had brains; the second one, money—and then you came along, didn't you, dear?"

WISHING WELL

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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Mary Haworth's Mail

Girl, 15, and Boy, 17, Have Been Great Friends of Recent Months; Mother Asks If Girl Should Give Boy Graduation Gift

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Cynthia is 15, Bill is 17 and they have been enjoying each other's company for the past six months, having lots of good times together.

Bill graduates soon and is taking Cynthia to the Junior-Senior prom. She is thrilled, of course, and I (her mother) am wondering if it would be proper for her to give him a graduation gift, such as a book or something of the sort, rather inexpensive. Or would it be better if she didn't?

Probably she will be asking my opinion before long and I'm not sure what I ought to tell her. Your prompt reply will be appreciated. N. C.

Subtle Nuances To Be Weighed

DEAR N. C.: Certainly it wouldn't be bad form for Cynthia to give Bill a modest impersonal graduation gift, in view of the fact that they've been boon companions for several months and he is making her his partner in school-closing festivities.

On the other hand, weighing subtle nuances, such a gesture probably wouldn't add anything to their delightful friendship and might indeed take something away, by vaguely discomfiting Bill. If he felt in his bones that Cynthia (with her parents' sanction) were thereby figuratively tying a string to him.

What Does Local Custom Decree?

IN GENERAL, boy-girl friendship or romance fares best on an exchange basis which consists of attention bestowed by the boy and enthusiastically appreciated by the girl. This is the buoyant perfect balance in sentimental relationship, from the viewpoint of the average single man.

Thus for advice, I think I'd tell Cynthia that a gift isn't necessary; that Bill will like her just as much, and maybe more, if she doesn't figure in the list of contributors to his graduation booty—unless of course it's standard practice in your community for girls to give the current beau a present on that occasion. If such is the case, a book to his taste would be just right M. H.

How Plan Party For 16-Year-Old?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I am the mother of two teen-age boys. The older boy will be 16 soon and I want to give him a birthday party. As we've never given a party for either of our boys I am at a loss to know how to plan.

I intend to invite 16 boys and 16 girls around his age, but when should the party start and end? Should the invitations state the hours?—as I feel parents would like to know when to expect their children home. What type of food should I serve? What entertainment should I plan, to keep the party from bogging down? R. A.

Invate Small Congenial List

DEAR R. A.: First off, I think a company of 32 teen-agers is much too large for an inexperienced hostess to manage successfully at an indoors party in the average-size home. Cut the list to about 20, to include your son's best friends and the youngsters they most enjoy.

In cities, the average hour for teen-agers' evening parties are from 9 to 11:30 p. m., and it is customary to state the hours on the invitations—ordinarily a double-fold calling card is used for the purpose—so the guests will know when to arrive and his parents will know when to call for him, or when to expect him home.

Youth's Idea Of Party Fare

FOR entertainment: Floor space cleared and if possible waxed for dancing. A record player with the largest collection of popular records you can muster. A master of ceremonies (yourself or another mother) to organize charades if dancing palls. A fortune teller just for fun, with line-up numbers handed out as guests arrive.

For food: A snack bar in the dining room, with bottled drinks and platters of sandwiches—say luscious ham, or hot dogs and mustard, or both—and bowls kept full of peanuts, popcorn, potato chips and olives on side tables elsewhere. And a serving man or maid to pass trays of drinks and sandwiches through the company occasionally. M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Post.

Susie Q

"Of course, spring does something to me . . . I could play baseball twenty-four hours a day!"

Rings on Their Fingers

Beane—Taylor

Mr. and Mrs. Carson W. Beane, this city, have announced engagement of their daughter, Jeannette Frances, to Corpl. Warren H. Taylor, USMC, of Fort Worth, Tex.

Miss Beane is a graduate of Central High School and attended George Washington University. Her fiance, associated with the Marine Corps magazine, The Leatherneck, is attending George Washington. The wedding will take place in August.

Beasley—Davis

Mrs. James P. Allen, Charlotte Hall, Md., announces engagement of her daughter, Miss Shirley Mae Beasley, to Charles W. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Davis, Mechanicsville, Md. Both Miss Beasley and her fiance are graduates of Margaret Brent High School. No date has been set for the wedding.

Jeffords—Gasson

The engagement of Mrs. Carolyn B. Jeffords to Edward D. Gasson, son of Mrs. Harry D. Gasson, Seminary Hill, Alexandria, Va., and the late Mr. Gasson, is announced by her mother, Mrs. William Shannon Burnet, Alexandria and Camden, S. C.

The bride-elect attended the University of South Carolina and George Washington University. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Princeton and the University of Virginia Law School.

Drake—Davis

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan L. Drake, College Heights, Md., have announced engagement of their daughter, Rath, to Wilbur C. Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Davis, Rockville, Md.

Miss Drake is a student at the University of Maryland, where her fiance has resumed his studies following more than two years in the armed forces.

Depew—Seal

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph S. Depew of Elizabethton, Tenn., have announced engagement of their daughter, Miss Virginia Jane Depew, to Rodger T. Seal, jr. The wedding will take place June 16 in Washington.

Miss Depew was graduated from the Elizabethton School of Business and is now with the American National Red Cross. Her fiance is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodger T. Seal of Washington. Since his discharge from the Army he has been employed by the Naval Research Laboratory.

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Ninety years ago a band of Quaker women in the Sandy Spring, Md., area, met at the home of Mrs. B. Rush Roberts to form a self-improvement society. Out of this preliminary session was born one of the oldest women's clubs in America—the Mutual Improvement Association.

This first session was reenacted when the association (Mutual Improvement was dropped from the title some years ago,) celebrated its ninetieth anniversary Thursday. Members who gathered on the lawn of the Lofton Wesley estate, Alloway, at Brown's Corner, near Sandy Spring reread the minutes of that first meeting. Many of today's members are Quakers, as Sandy Spring is historically a Quaker community.

At the monthly meetings which have been held regularly over the years, except for postponements "made necessary by the bad state of the roads," members have made "contributions" "to educate the mind and increase the happiness, lighten the labor, or add to the comfort of one another or our family or neighbors." The "contributions" are generally along housekeeping or horticultural lines with members exchanging items mutually "beneficial."

There are only two officers, the secretary, Mrs. Robert H. Miller, jr., and the treasurer, Mrs. Milton Bancroft.

Direct descendents of original members who founded the historic organization include Mrs. Frederick Thomas, Mrs. Helen Hallowell, Mrs. Bentley Thomas, Mrs. Douglas Farquhar, Mrs. Milton Bancroft, Mrs. Lofton Wesley, Mrs. William Iddings and Mrs. Albert Willson.

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Wedding Bells Ring

Zagami—Beckert

Married April 20 at Holy Comforter Church were **Miss Agnes Marie Beckert**, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Beckert, formerly of Washington, and **Adam Peter Zagami**, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Zagami of this city. The Rev. James Luckett officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Thomas D. Giovinazzo, was gowned in white satin and lace with an orange blossom and seed pearl halo holding her full length veil. She carried white roses. Mrs. Thomas Giovinazzo was matron of honor for her sister, and Katherin Zagami, Josephine Nocente and Doris Burnedette also attended the bride. They wore pastel chiffon and carried red and yellow roses.

Best man for his brother was Placideno Zagami. Ushers were Dante A. Zagami, James Beckert and John Nocente.

The couple left for a New York honeymoon after the reception at the home of the bride's sister.

Mrs. Zagami was graduated from Holy Comforter School. Her husband attends George Washington University.

McInerney—Macatee

Mrs. Evelyn Freeze Macatee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Freeze of Baltimore, became the bride Saturday of **Maurice McInerney**, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Michael McInerney, formerly of Washington, in St. Edward's Church of Baltimore.

The couple was attended by Mrs. James J. Lee and Dr. Woodson T. Birthright. Ushers were Dr. Michael J. McInerney and William J. Freeze, jr. A reception followed at Sheraton Belvedere Hotel.

The bride attended schools in Baltimore, and her husband attended Georgetown University Law School. They will return from their honeymoon in Bermuda to reside in Washington.

Deister—Wojnar

In Nativity Church Saturday, **Miss Isabell Irene Wojnar**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wojnar of Turtle Creek, Pa., was married to **William Bernard Deister**, son of Mrs. Goldie Deister of Washington. The Rev. L. A. McGlone officiated.

Given in marriage by Walter Wojnar, the bride wore white satin, her finger-tip veil falling from a seed pearl coronet, and carried gardenias. Miss Eunice Deister, wearing pink and carrying pink roses and violets, was maid of honor. Joseph Andrew Wojnar served as best man. A reception at Hotel 2400 followed.

The couple will return from a wedding trip to New York City and the Pocono Mountains to reside in Arlington, Va.

Mr. Deister attended James Millikin University in Decatur, Ill., and Columbus University in Washington.

Hamilton—Brabender

Miss Lois Gertrude Brabender, daughter of Lieut. Comdr. Edward Martin Brabender, USN, and Mrs. Brabender of Wardour, Md., was married April 12 at the Naval Chapel in Annapolis to **Lieut. Comdr. Arthur Gray Hamilton, USN**, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hamilton of Hyattsville.

On return from their honeymoon, the newlyweds will reside in Annapolis, where Lieutenant Commander Hamilton is stationed.

Zimermann—Dugan

Lieut. Richard Galt Zimermann, UGN, and Mrs. Zimermann, married April 8 in Key West, Fla., are making their home in Charleston, S. C.

Lieutenant Zimermann is the son of Capt. Alfred G. Zimermann, USN, ret., and Mrs. Zimermann of Washington, and his bride is the former **Dorothy Mae Dungan**, daughter of Mrs John Fleming of Key West and E. Emerson Dungan of Chicago, Ill.

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EXECUTIVE ORDER 9835 IS A THREAT TO *Your* LIBERTIES

ANYBODY MIGHT BE HELD SUBVERSIVE

On March 23, 1947, President Truman issued Executive Order 9835, which was supposed to provide for the elimination of disloyal persons from government employment. Under its provisions, persons subject to dismissal, in addition to alleged "traitors, saboteurs, spies, foreign agents, and those who advocate overthrow of the government by violent or unconstitutional means," might include:

So-called subversives designated as such by the Attorney General.

Persons said to be affiliated—now or in the past—with organizations at present deemed by the Attorney General to be subversive.

Persons said to be in sympathetic association — now or in the past—with organizations deemed by the Attorney General to be subversive or considered as such by the House Committee on un-American Activities.

Persons who, during high school or college showed unusual interest in studies and activities now regarded as suspect.

ORDER UNDERMINES TRADITIONAL LIBERTIES

It is obvious that these provisions are wide enough to cover millions of loyal American citizens who at one time or another found themselves in sympathetic association with movements for tax reform, price control, better housing, civil rights, or United Nations unity. While applying at the moment to the Federal Service, Executive Order 9835 throws open the door to the most widespread and flagrant violation of civil liberties since the infamous Alien and Sedition Acts of 1798, which were later repudiated by the American people.

It denies any vestige of legal or judicial procedure to an employee accused of the most despicable crime—disloyalty to his country. The accused employee receives no statement of specific charges, is not permitted to confront his anonymous accuser, is refused the right to cross-examine witnesses.

The order enables the government agency making the charge to hold a "hearing" and to conduct a "review." Thus the accuser, judge and jury are usually one and the same.

CREATES NETWORK OF POLICE SPIES

The order provides for the creation of a network of "investigating" police to probe the private lives, thoughts, associations and even school days of every government employee, thus creating an atmosphere where every bit of gossip and personal malice becomes the basis for a "disloyalty" charge. Such huge police spy systems were the forerunners of dictatorships everywhere.

The order provides for a master index of all employees against whom any accusations were ever made, even though such accusations were later proven unfounded. The order threatens academic freedom by specifically ordering investigation of an employee's high school and college record, thereby introducing fear and intimidation into the educational systems of the country.

The order authorizes the Attorney General to set up a list of organizations "affiliation, membership, or sympathetic association with which" makes a person "subversive."

In short, *the order undermines the elementary safeguards of Anglo-American jurisprudence and exposes individuals to a lifetime of social and economic ostracism without a fair trial.* Aware of its dangers to the personal liberties of every American, leaders of American thought, such as Mrs. Roosevelt, Henry A. Wallace, Dean Griswold of the Harvard Law School, Fiorello H. LaGuardia and others, have condemned Executive Order 9835 and called for its repeal.

PRESENT SECURITY LAWS ADEQUATE

Legal experts hold that our government is adequately protected against disloyal persons by present regulations. These prohibit "advocacy of overthrow of government by force or violence or membership in an organization of such advocacy; violation of the oath of office which is now prescribed by statute and calls for undivided loyalty to the United States government; violation of laws against treason, sedition, sabotage, espionage, or unlawful disclosure of confidential information." The real security needs of our government are taken care of by existing laws. They were adequate in war time when the very life of our country was at stake.

LEADING AMERICANS WARN OF DANGERS IN ORDER 9835

HARVARD DEAN DISSENTS

From a letter in the New York Times, April 13, 1947. Of the writers of the following letter, Mr. Griswold is Dean of the Harvard Law School; Mr. Scott, an authority on the law of trusts; Mr. Katz and Mr. Chafee, who served as vice chairman of the Commission on Freedom of the Press, are Professors of Law at that school.

"At this time, however, we can only appraise the order according to its terms. The procedure actually described is quite inadequate. It fails to take due account of the gravity of the sanctions invoked against a person to whom the prohibitions of the order may be deemed to apply.

"It is imperative to keep clearly in mind what a dismissal under the order means. Far more is involved than the loss of job. It means that:

"(1) The person dismissed will be denied all opportunity for employment anywhere in the Federal Government.

"(2) As a practical consequence, he will also lose almost all possibility of finding employment within any state or municipal government.

"(3) Also, he will encounter special difficulties in obtaining employment in private organizations.

"The tested wisdom of our tradition and national experience dictate that no sanction so drastic shall be applied save after adjudication of wrongdoing based upon a full hearing before responsible and impartial public officers, who are not themselves in fear of losing their own jobs . . .

"No provision is made for a detailed record of the hearing or, for that matter, for a record of any kind. There is no requirement that the findings of the loyalty board must be supported by the evidence. In fact, there is no requirement that the loyalty board make any findings whatever.

"It is for the President and his law officers to make the correction. In default of adjustment by Executive action, the correction may be imposed by the courts, but piecemeal, slowly and after much clamor and confusion."

Zechariah Chafee, Jr., Erwin N. Griswold, Milton Katz, Austin W. Scott.

MRS. ROOSEVELT VOICES FEARS

"However, the more I think about one clause in the President's Executive Order the more troubled I am. Under the clause I am afraid it would be possible to declare subversive many organizations that are simply in opposition to the thinking of certain powerful groups."

LAGUARDIA WARNS OF DANGER

"It is safe to predict that the very people who urged and now approve the Executive Order will realize that it is entirely too one-sided and smacks too much of autocratic power, methods of a police state, and contains many of the attributes which we criticize in other countries and which are repulsive and repugnant to American tradition and American principles."

WALLACE SEES WITCH HUNT

From an editorial in the New Republic, April 14, 1947, signed by Henry Wallace, Editor:

"The President's executive order seems to me a violation of the fundamental safeguards of Anglo-Saxon justice in which it provides for no hearing in a regularly constituted court, no trial by jury, or review or appeal to the existing higher courts. On the contrary, the execution of this inquisitorial mandate is placed in the hands of people who, on the basis of past record and public utterance, have certainly not been conspicuous for their sympathy with the ideals of freedom of thought and expression.

"All past history supports the prediction that any Red hunt which receives official blassing such as is given in the President's executive order is bound to injure many innocent victims.

"The current witch hunt will tend to drive from public service the man who has ever read a book, had an idea, supported the ideals of Roosevelt or fought fascism."

CHILDS CITES STAGGERING COST

From a column in The Washington Post, April 19, 1947, entitled "Washington Calling," by Marquis Childs:

"Language as broad as that could be subject to almost any kind of interpretation. Following this precedent, a left-wing Administration might in the future find the National Association of Manufacturers to be a subversive organization. Or an extreme reactionary in the White House might have his Attorney General rule that an association advocating world government was subversive.

"The problem in the loyalty search will be to distinguish between freedom of thought and outright disloyalty. It will be an expensive search. The cost to the Justice Department is put at about 12 million dollars. The annual cost to the Civil Service Commission to screen new employees coming into the Government and to insure the loyalty of those on the payroll may run as high as 50 million dollars."

Philip Murray Condemns President's Executive Order

Philip Murray

"As carefully as I have read this Order, I cannot find clear guarantee of due process, whether with respect to specific charges being made available, or to the opportunity to confront accusers and cross-examine witnesses, or to any of the traditional protections afforded all our citizens under the laws of the Nation.

"Furthermore, I am alarmed at the prospect that any organization of citizens, gathered together to express their ideas on matters of mutual interest, may be declared "subversive," without any specification, definition or limitation of the meaning of that term. There is no assurance in the Order that fraternal or religious associations, labor or consumer groups, literary or educational organizations or institutions, may not be so labelled forthwith. And this would create hesitation and fear among our nation's people, and deter them from exercising their inalienable rights to join together in organization and state their minds freely.

"I wonder what grave emergency has now come to pass which necessitates recourses over and above those now available in existing laws which provide full penalties for acts of treason, sedition, or forceful overthrow of our form of government. Apparently these laws afforded ample security during the war period; and I cannot conceive that as a nation we are now in greater danger than during the war years.

THREATENS FREE THOUGHT

"What sudden threat can warrant our throwing overboard the democratic principles of fair hearing and fair trial, for the attainment of which so many Americans have fought throughout our history?

"From its beginning our great Nation has adhered to the principle that innocence must be held inviolate. The principle is stated to every jury in every criminal trial throughout the land in the axiom: "Better that ninety-nine guilty escape, than one innocent person be convicted."

"It is my sincere belief, Mr. President, that if Executive Order 9835 cannot be brought into conformance with this time-tried principle, without the institution of thought police and denial of due process, the Executive Order should be repealed outright."

WIRE OR WRITE PRESIDENT TRUMAN TODAY URGING HIM TO RESCIND EXECUTIVE ORDER 9835.

Executive Order 9835 concerns you, whether or not you are a federal worker or related to one. Recent experience with European dictatorships indicated that the surest way to destroy democracy is by subverting democratic processes under the guise of national security. Your own personal liberty is at stake.

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